

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast and milder weather is becoming general over this Province. Fine weather is reported in the Prairies, with rising temperatures.

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# HUNDREDS OF LIVES ENDANGERED IN COLLISION

## NEW PEACE OUTLET IS SUGGESTED

Proposes Linking of Peace River With Vancouver by Much Shorter Route Than Has Been Planned

### RAILWAY PLAN IS GIVEN IN DETAIL

Experts Doubt Feasibility of Transportation as Is Outlined by the Two Railway Companies

VANCOUVER, Dec. 20.—An Edmonton dispatch to the Vancouver Daily Province, says:

Linking of the rich Peace River district with Vancouver by a railway route shorter by 193 miles than the suggested C.N.R. outlet was proposed by Mr. G. Dimdale, well-known modern railway engineer and former Alberta highways commissioner. He says that British Capital is ready to finance the project when the necessary charters are granted by the Alberta and British Columbia Governments.

FOR NEW OUTLET

Mr. Dimdale's plan would give a new and direct coast outlet to the Pacific running south of the Peace River and calling for a line of only 627 miles from Beaver Lodge in the Grande Prairie district, as against 800 miles from that point via the proposed C.N.R. outlet from Aggle, on the E. D. & B.C. south-west to Obed on the C.N.R.

The new route, which is very little known to the people of the north country, would be from Lethbridge, Beaver Lodge, through southwest Pass to the present end of steel on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, near Quesnel, B.C.

Mr. Dimdale, who is recognized as an authority on northern railroad problems, lays down the following as axioms:

#### THREE POINTS RAISED

First, that Peace River, due to insurmountable engineering difficulties as outlined in reports of C.N.R. and C.P.R. engineers, will never provide

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U.S. Ex-Senator Loses His Wife After Operation

ORANGE, Cal., Dec. 20.—Mrs. Miles Poinexter, wife of the former senator from Washington and ex-ambassador to Peru, died here suddenly at 2:45 a.m. today, following delicate surgical operation. She was sixty-three years old.

She had been summoned yesterday when it became apparent that he was sinking in en route here from Washington, D.C. Mrs. Poinexter was born in Walla Walla, Wash.

From the

Colonist Tower

Saturday, Dec. 21

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Viley: Increasing east and south winds, becoming unsettled and mild, followed by rain. Sun Rises: 6:02 o'clock. Sun Sets: 4:26 o'clock. High Tide: 9:30 a.m., 9:1 feet. Low Tide: 12:17 a.m., 1.8 feet.

Sports

Tod Morgan loses junior lightweight championship bout to Bass. Chairman of New York State Boxing Commission orders boxer pursued with held pending trial of charges of fixing Victoria-Cuba chalk up another win in P.C.H.L.

Lengthy sport programme carded for Canadian Scottie to meet B.A.A. in senior Rugby classic.

Hagen and Von Klem lead field in first round of Pasadena Open golf. Many players baited by darkness.

The News

Local and Provincial

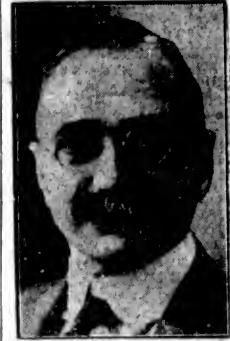
City Council for 1930 to be sworn in on January 1. Hon. H. H. Smith, M.P., to visit Victoria about mid-January. Interswitching trackage to cross Johnson Street extension on Saturday. Sumner Pact debated at Conservative meeting.

Imperial and Foreign—M. Emile Loubet, ex-President of France and famous statesman, is dead.

Ferryboat and car float collide and seven hundred lives are endangered.

One of worst airplane accidents in Washington kills four persons. Expert outlines proposed new outlet for Peace River which would cut off many miles.

### Joins International Agriculturists



## FOUR KILLED OF PARTY IN PLANE CRASH

All Passengers Killed Outright as Machine Plunges Down Directly After Start Was Made

### INTENDED TO BE SURPRISE VISIT

Head Injuries Showed Occupants Had Been Pitched Forward as Plane Made Dive Downward

WASHINGTOM, Dec. 20.—The airplane that was turning toward Massachusetts to speed him home after a joyous Christmas surprise for his family plunged to earth. Representative William K. Kaynor and four others to death today less than a minute after the take-off.

Everyone aboard was killed outright in the impact as the trimotored plane hurtled downward to Belling Field from 300 feet, bounced, then burst apart and dug furrows three feet deep in the rain-sodden earth. Wreckage showed the occupants had died from head injuries, indicating each had been pitched forward or onto the ceiling as the diving ship twisted.

#### ONE OF WOMEN

Belder Representative Kaynor, killed in this worst accident in Washington's air history, were Mr. Stanley B. Lowe, secretary to Mr. Kaynor; Mr. Arthur A. McGill, a civilian friend of the Massachusetts representative; Captain Harry A. Dinger, of Belling Field, the pilot; Private Vladimir Kuzma of Belling Field, the mechanic.

Representative Kaynor had arranged to travel to his home in Springfield to surprise his wife and children with a Christmas visit. It was his first flight, his interest in aviation having been spurred by a recent appointment to the House military affairs committee. If the

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## SALMON PACT DEBATED BY BOTH SIDES

Mr. H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., Defends Treaty Proposed to Regulate Future of Fraser River Fishery

### MR. D. B. PLUNKETT OFFERS CRITICISM

At the meeting of Ward Five Conservatives last evening the audience was afforded an opportunity to hear arguments in favor of the Fraser River Sockeye Salmon Treaty, and those against it. Mr. H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., presented the case for the ratification of the treaty by the Canadian Parliament as the means for restoring an industry that would mean much to this province.

On the other hand, Mr. D. B. Plunkett, M.P., speaking very briefly, alluded to the weaknesses of the pact as proposed and contended that while the other British Columbia members in the Dominion House were anxious to see the Fraser River restored, they were not ready to hand over to three commissioners from the United States and three from Canada power to exercise authority over any part of the province.

It was purely from a national standpoint that he was looking at the matter. As a national matter he would exercise his influence to

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OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—Col. J. L. Ralston, Minister of Defense, will be Canadian delegate to the London Conference on Naval Disarmament next month. Announcement of the selection of Col. Ralston was made by Prime Minister Mackenzie King, after a lengthy Cabinet meeting this evening. He will be accompanied by Commodore W. H. Rose, chief of the Naval Staff at the National Defense Department, Major Warren, who is engaged on overseas on Government business, will also join Col. Ralston in London.

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RT. HON. WINSTON CHURCHILL, M.P.

In his sixth article the former Chancellor of the Exchequer deals with "Hollywood." The Peter Pan Township in California, he says, is brewed from Old World beer from which all the alcohol in excess of 1 per cent has been eliminated. "Some times," says Mr. Churchill, "mistakes are made about the exact percentage, and on one melancholy occasion an entire brew was inadvertently released at the penultimate stage of manufacture to spread its maddening poison through countless happy homes."

#### TWO CHRISTMAS STORIES

One of these, by Zora Gale, tells of a Christmas romance, the other, by Eleanor Halliwel Abbott, deals with a romance, a surprise and a Christmas gift.

#### TAIL-WAGGERS

The third installment of this fascinating series supplies world studies in human interest and carries the reader to many lands.

#### WORLD CRUISE OF EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA

The third installment of this fascinating series supplies world

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#### TAFF WAGGERS

John Nelson tells of the new English society of "Taff Waggers"

and the response it will bring from dog lovers everywhere.

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Fine Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. 21¢	Fletcher's Smoked Edinburgh Rollers, per lb. 33¢
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Fine Mild Cheese, per lb. 27¢	Fine Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb. 30¢
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Premium Wieners, per lb. 30¢	Fine Sauerkraut, 2 lbs. 15¢
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Our birds have not been frozen.

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3 lbs. for ..... 1.30	
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Holsum Blackberry Jam, 4-lb. cans 39¢	
Asparagus Tips, 1 lb. 21¢	
Spinach, 2 lbs. per tin 16¢	
Green Peas, 2 tins for 25¢	
Apple Golden Bantam Corn, per tin 17¢	
Heinz Pork and Beans, 3 tins for 29¢	
Fine Jumbo Jordan Almonds, per lb. 70¢	
South African Pineapple Cubes, large cans 25¢	
Greengage Plums, large cans, each 19¢	
W.H. Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. bags 45¢	
Bread Flour, 7-lb. bags 32¢	
Heinz Tomato Catsup, per bottle 25¢	
Ripe Olives, large cans 23¢	
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Christmas Stockings, well filled 25¢ to ..... 81.00	
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We have some Fancy Wagener Apples, 4 lbs. for 45¢	
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Almond Icing, the real thing; per lb. 45¢	
Fine Smyrna Figs, 1b. 30¢ and 35¢	
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Watson's Dry Ginger Ale, 2 quart for ..... 81.35	
A real Christmas special. Netted Gem Potatoes, 7 lbs. for 25¢	
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These are high-class chocolates.	
A fine selection of Christmas Crackers, imported direct from England. Extra values. From 25¢ to ..... 81.00	

### HY. BRONFMAN COMMITTED TO STAND TRIAL

Famous Customs Inquiry Case Closes on Preliminary Hearing and Goes to Higher Court

### BRIBERY CHARGE TO OPEN TODAY

REGINA, Sask., Dec. 20.—The Argentinian has adopted the motto: "Buy from those who buy from us," and because of the attitude of the United States as reflected in its tariff, "we are buying most of our materials from Great Britain and Canada," said William J. Grant, Buenos Aires, prominent international livestock judge.

"Only recently we have organized a co-operative agrarian league," he said. "It is through this agency the new pool will function. Our grain crop being harvested at the present time, will be on the market within the next few weeks. It will be a short one—possibly not more than 60 per cent of an average yield."

Today, preliminary hearing of the charge to obstruct justice by alleged bribery of witnesses in the Moose Jaw trial case in 1922, was adjourned and the Montrealer, who formerly operated liquor export houses in Saskatchewan, was remanded to trial at the January sitting of the Court of King's Bench.

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There isn't really a war between joke on the folks that have been pan and China, which is quite a killed so far—Dallas News.

## LINKING OF COAST AREA IS PRAISED

Mr. P. B. Fowler, President of Victoria Chamber of Commerce, Speaks in Seattle

## REMINISCENCES OF EARLY FINANCE

"The more we produce, and the greater our shipping strength, the more we benefit all the ports on this Coast, as we are making it possible for so much more shipping to be operated on the Coast, thus interweaving our trade with yours by making it a profitable shipping proposition," said Mr. P. B. Fowler, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, in speaking last evening at the Cana Club of Seattle.

The Club is a young man's organization, and Mr. Fowler opened with an historical sketch showing the links between the American and Canadian areas of the North Pacific Coast, and the interlinking of developments.

He proceeded: "All questions concerning our boundary waterways are dealt with by a joint international commission, and also are matters concerning fisheries."

**THE ALASKA ROAD** "If it is necessary to quote one other feature where our interests are mutual, we need only refer to a meeting that took place in Victoria recently, when the Prime Minister of Canada, the Premier of British Columbia and the Commissioner of the Alaska Highway and the Commissioner of Washington, and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, Seattle, met to discuss the Alaska road, in order to discuss the possibility and the probability of putting a road through British Columbia to Alaska and the Yukon. While nothing definite was decided, the whole matter is being looked into, and all great schemes must have a commencement."

**FOREIGN TRADE** "Your president asked me to speak on foreign trade, and I am wondering if we quite appreciate what foreign trade is. In countries such as ours, who have only in comparatively recent years come to the point of industrialization, we must realize to look only to the countless millions who are prospective purchasers of our goods; indeed up and down this Coast I would venture the guess that exporters are in an overwhelming majority over importers. Foreign trade is not the exchanging of goods for gold, in its purest sense, but the exchange of goods for goods, with a spread in way for the trader, a full ship in and a full ship out. There is one thing I would say—Canada is the largest consumer the United States has; 10,000,000 people in Canada buy \$800,000,000 of goods from the United States, but the 120,000,000 people of the United States buy only \$400,000,000 from Canada. If you will figure this out on a per capita basis it is surely food for thought."

"Our institution also had quite a lot to do in the early days with the sugar industry in Hawaii, and did much work in financing that business, which now has grown to enormous dimensions. Indeed, Victoria's own, R. P. Ritter, was quite instrumental engaged among other things in developing the sugar production in these islands. Thus the development of the Pacific Coast has been a joint and mutual affair."

"Side by side we have grown up for nearly 150 years; we have shown the world that the proverb 'high fences make good neighbors' is the exception in our case. We have no fence, the only barriers between us are a few customs and immigration officers. We spend the same language, we have the same ideals, and the same ideals of fair play and strict dealing, and our interests intersect. It is to be wondered at that we have lived side by side without fort, fleet or armed force on our boundary line for 117

## Mother's Little Helper

By J. H. Strickel



Doesn't Sister look appealing and sweet? Who wouldn't want to help out the good cause? We'll bet, that Santa Claus is mighty nice to her at Christmas time.

## HEAD-FIX FOR Sick and Nervous Headaches



Three months in jail was the sentence given John W. Whims by Judge Lampman in County Court yesterday, for sheep stealing. The accused pleaded guilty and evidence in support of the charge was given by Provost Comptroller D. Tweedie, who had discovered the carcass of a sheep belonging to Mr. J. Ackerman at a place near the accused's farm. Mr. Sydney Child, prosecuting for the Crown, said that in recent years there had been a number of thefts of sheep on Gulf Islands and asked that exemplary sentence be given.

## Salt Spring Island Sheep Robber Jailed

James Coombs was sentenced to fifteen months in jail in the city court yesterday by Magistrate George Jay on three charges of obtaining money on forged cheques. Coombs had cashed two of these cheques at the Army and Navy Veterans' clubroom and one at a local hotel. In doing this he had presented a bank passbook with forged signatures to obtain credit.

Judge Jay recited the serious nature of the offence, and commented on their serious nature. Coombs, the magistrate observed, had said that he had committed these offences while under the influence of liquor, but there was no indication that that was the

## POLICE AGAIN STOP PARADE AT VANCOUVER

Attempt to Stage Demonstration Where Leader Is Detained Pending Deportation Proceedings

## McEWAN WAS ONCE SENTENCED HERE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 23.—Several hundred unemployed men who attempted to stage a demonstration this afternoon, in the vicinity of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, were held when William McEwan, prominent in recent unemployed parades here, held pending deportation proceedings, was turned back and dispersed by Royal Canadian Mounted Police at the foot of Burrard Street, several hundred yards from their objective. A short time ago it appeared that the march, in front of the demonstrators would break through the police cordon.

## DEMAND LEADER'S RELEASE

Earlier the men had marched to Cambie Street grounds, where they were addressed by J. Litterck, chairman of the unemployed executive, who exhorted them to demand the immediate release of McEwan, and a mark of confidence in him to walk down to the immigration shed, and give expression to that confidence with cheers.

McEwan's proper name is said to be Allan Campbell. He is declared to have been one of the stokers on the SS Canadian steamer, when she was seized early this year, forced to turn back to Victoria, after one day at sea, because of a strike among the stokers.

McEwan, along with others, was tried in Victoria, and sentenced to six months in jail on a charge of mutiny with intent to commit treason at the end of his sentence. After serving part of his term, McEwan was released and deportation withdrawn, provided his activities in the future did not bring him under police notice.

## TAXI COMPANY SUIT IN COURT

### EX-EMPLOYEE CLAIMS PERCENTAGE OF PROFITS MADE BY BUSINESS

Hearing Begun in Supreme Court—Evidence for Plaintiff Heard —To Continue Monday

Herbert P. Winsby, who was in the employ of the C. & C. Tax Service, Limited, from December 23, 1926, until June 15, 1928, brought suit for 10 per cent of the profits made by the business during that time, which he estimates at approximately \$25,000. He also claims a monthly salary at \$100 a month and 10 per cent of the profits for one month, in lieu of one month's notice before dismissal. The terms of his engagement under which he was employed entitled him to a salary of \$100 per month only, without any share in the profits; that he was given one month's notice of dismissal; that he was not entitled to that by reason of default in the performance of his duties, and that he has been paid in full.

The action is proceeding in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Murphy. Hearing of the case began yesterday morning and, after continuing throughout the day, was adjourned until Monday morning. Mr. D. S. Tait is appearing for the plaintiff. Mr. Winsby, and Mr. H. O. Heisterman for the defendant company.

### ONE SIDE HEARD

The witnesses heard yesterday were Herbert P. Winsby and J. S. Gossen, both of whom were called for the plaintiff. Mr. Winsby said that at the time of his engagement the company was in difficulties which he ascribed not to lack of business but to loose, inefficient and otherwise faulty management. He was engaged, he said, to audit the accounts and to take charge of the business and to relate it to the terms of his engagement. He continued, that he should be paid \$100 per month, plus 10 per cent of all profits made by the company during his engagement. Under a subsequent agreement any amount he might recover for the company on account of certain shortages would be considered as profits, of which he was to receive 10 per cent. He had audited the accounts, put the business in good shape and received a considerable sum for it, and was conducting it efficiently when he was dismissed without notice. His agreement with the company had been put in writing and ac-

cepted, he asserted, as to the terms mentioned, but not as to a further dividing control of the shares of the company. The intention was to enter it on the minutes of the company at its next meeting. It had not been signed by all of the parties concerned.

J. S. Cameron gave similar testimony as to the terms of the written agreement having been accepted with the reservation as to the clause relating to the shares. They are well made and beautifully lined. Splendid value at \$12.75 and \$16.50

### Children's Gifts

You have, no doubt, several little ones on your gift list, and to our Infants and Children's Department will give you many suggestions. Toys, dainty toilet articles and many pretty woolen garments, all so attractively priced.

### TEMPTING GLOVE SPECIAL

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Saturday, December 21, 1929

## THE ORIENTAL PROBLEM IN B.C.

The Nationalist Government of China on January 1 is to denounce the extraterritoriality clauses of the treaties made with foreign Powers. It is an interesting commentary on the attitude of the Chinese Government toward international treaties that at the moment of its announcement respecting extraterritoriality it should have drawn the attention of the Powers to Soviet Russia's breach of the Kellogg-Briand Pact. This illustrates a somewhat complex mentality, the more especially because, as the Peking correspondent of The London Times says: "With waste-paper baskets full of torn treaties and agreements to her credit, the contemplation by China of an addition to her own dark record cannot be said to occasion surprise, but it argues little sense of humor and proportion on her part when she points a finger at the blackness of another State which disregards written engagements."

In 1928 China denounced her commercial treaty with Japan. This treaty includes among its terms clauses specifying Japan's extraterritorial rights. Japan on her part refused to accept the denunciation and China has feared to put it into effect. The action to be taken on January 1 is that what China has failed to make operative against a single Power she now proposes to put into effect against all the Powers. In other words, she believes that collectively the Powers are weaker than Japan. It is pointed out that owing to the chaos that prevails in China the Nationalist Government is not in a position to safeguard foreigners, and that is exactly the duty she will have to assume by cancelling extraterritoriality clauses of treaties. Failure in that duty is certain to lead to international complications.

The point of high interest affecting the proposed action of China in relation to this province of British Columbia is that it offers an opportunity of bringing about a final solution of the Chinese problem in our midst, just as it does in the case of Chinese in any other part of the British Empire. Since the Nationalist Government of Nanking is to cancel extraterritoriality clauses of her treaty with Great Britain the situation thus created offers the opportunity for a bargain whereby the Chinese in British Columbia and in other parts of the Empire could be repatriated. The cancellation of treaty clauses, without the sanction of both Powers concerned, is a high-handed action. If the British Empire is no longer to have the protection of the British Navy for its nationals in China then it is a logical proposal to put forward that the Chinese Government should take back those nationals of its own whose presence in British Columbia have created an economic problem that has been a vexed issue for over twenty years in this province.

A unique opportunity of solving the Oriental problem in this province, so far as the Chinese are concerned, presents itself with the announced denunciation of the extraterritoriality clauses of China's treaty with Great Britain. The demand can be made legitimately that, as a quid pro quo for the drastic action proposed by the Nationalist Government, the Chinese in British Columbia shall be repatriated. The Provincial Government could make representations through Ottawa to Great Britain to this effect so that negotiations could be opened with China. The Powers, in respect to their extraterritoriality rights in China, have been under the impression that these were to be the subject of negotiation before any action was taken. The Nationalist Government, however, proposes to waive any such negotiations and take action itself. It thus places the Powers, and among them Great Britain, in an exceptionally strong position to take counter-action. The fact of negotiations leading to the repatriation of the Chinese within the British Empire would show to China that if she has problems involving foreigners in her midst, so, too, there are similar problems in the British Empire and that these must be solved with the cancellation of the extraterritoriality clauses. The British Columbia Government has its opportunity of bringing this issue into the international limelight with excellent prospects of securing a solution of a large part of its Oriental problem. Will it act?

## RADIO BROADCASTING

La Presse of Montreal is unalterably opposed to State ownership of radio broadcasting as suggested by the Aird Commission. It believes that such ownership would seriously affect the industry in the country. One suggestion of the Aird Commission is that, in order to provide the cost of nationalization of broadcasting, the licence fee to radio owners should be increased from \$1 to \$3. It is proposed, moreover, that dealers would be charged with the onus of collecting the fees for the Federal Treasury. Another suggestion implied in the report is that advertising of radio programmes should be reduced as much as possible. The result of this to the Canadian trade would be, says La Presse, that Dominion advertisers would be deprived of a splendid medium of publicity if prevented from using radio to advertise their goods; whereas American advertisers would remain wholly free to take every advantage of the situation and thus reach all attainable Canadians.

Among the number of points raised by La Presse there are some which have been given little or no consideration by the vast mass of the people whose concern should be with the character of the programmes offered by broadcasting sets. It is pointed out that State-controlled programmes would not be addressed to all classes of society. On the contrary, their appeal would be to a restricted class, and this might mean that whereas now owners of radio sets can tune in on Canadian broadcasting stations they would be driven, under government

broadcasting, to prefer the programmes coming from American sources. The country in which radio has made the greatest progress is the United States and there is no suggestion there of State ownership of broadcasting. The prosperity of the radio industry, like that of all other industries, is fostered by competition, and expansion of the trade might be halted and definitely weakened under State ownership. Broadcasting, under private ownership, is a matter of healthy development if it is to survive. There is no sign whatever of its losing in popularity and the present is not the time to make an experiment in public ownership. The radio, like the press, has every right to prefer the claim to remain independent, and indeed its measure of popularity is largely based on the extent of the independence it maintains. From the political standpoint La Presse comments as follows on the proposal for State ownership of broadcasting:

"It is suggested that the control of radio programmes be entrusted to provincial commissions, named by the Governments of each province.

The triumphant conclusion is reached by some people that, in this way, radio shall escape political interference. What a delusion! As if anyone could be certain that the nominees of the Provincial Governments shall not be political friends!

As these governments do not all share the same political views, it is not difficult to paint now the picture of the multiple colors that shall be spread over the radiophonic checkerboard of our Dominion. And how shall the Federal Government be treated by the various provincial commissions charged with the control of programmes? In what difficult and dangerous situations will it not find itself? In cases of abuse, it shall or shall not, have the power to interfere. If it has the right to intervene, the provincial commissions are not autonomous, and in this event we are exposed to an even greater evil. If intervention be impossible, then probably the air shall be filled with a cacophony of all sorts of programmes and abuses. Surely such a situation is not practicable and is wholly dangerous. The ideal practical system for Canada is one permitting the free exercise of private ownership, while the Government polices the air; thus allowing listeners to enjoy radio's advantages, licence-free and even without the payment of a dollar fee."

Those who take the long view of the problem of nation-building are deeply concerned about the spread of social legislation. They see in it a state of affairs being fostered in which the thrifty section of a population will steadily diminish in numbers and be replaced by the doleful, thriftless section. Social legislation is a result of emotionalists dominating public opinion. Emotionalism is often the antithesis of the exercise of reason; it rarely, if ever, takes the long view but is swayed by the passion of the moment.

The author of "Tipperary," the most popular of the ditties sung during the Great War, died in 1924. He was Henry James Williams, a name probably unfamiliar to the hundreds of thousands of those who sang his composition. Williams is buried at Balsall and a stone marking his resting place bears the following inscription: "Author of 'It's a Long, Long Way to Tipperary,' followed by the words: 'Give me the making of the songs of a nation, and let who will make its laws.'

## The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., December 20, 1929.

## PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain Min. Max
Victoria	40 43
Nanaimo	.01 40 43
Vancouver	38 40
Kamloops	18 28
Prince George	12 20
Estevan Point	42 46
Prince Rupert	34 44
Alert Bay	42 46
Dawson	38b 10b
Seattle	45 46
Portland	44 46
San Francisco	56 66
Spokane	30 34
Los Angeles	60 76
Penticton	27 36
Vernon	20 32
Grand Forks	18 29
Nelson	15 31
Kaslo	19 30
Cranbrook	25 17
Ogopogo	18 24
Edmonton	0 2
Swift Current	Snow, trace
Prince Albert	18b 20
Qu'Appelle	26b 4
Winnipeg	12b 2
	16b 2b

## FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Increasing east and south winds, becoming unsettled and mild, followed by rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Increasing east and south winds, the Gulf, becoming unsettled and mild, followed by rain.

FRIDAY

Maximum 43

Minimum 40

Average 41

Minimum on grass 38

General state of weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.22; wind, N. 12 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.22; wind, E. 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.32; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.40; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.86; wind, S.E. 10 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.18; wind, S.E. 6 miles; cloudy.

Tofino—Barometer, 30.16; wind, E. 22 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.24; wind, S.E. 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; wind, N.E. 4 miles; fair.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; wind, E.; 4 miles; cloudy.

General state of weather, cloudy.

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Innocent Child

Young child and snow-white flower!  
Well are ye paired in your opening hour;  
Thus should the pure and lovely meet,  
Stainless with stainless and sweet with sweet.

White as those leaves, just blown apart.  
Are the folds of your own young heart,  
Guilty passion and cankerling care  
Never have left their traces there.

Artless one, though thou gazest now  
O'er the white blossoms with earnest brow,  
Soon it will tire thy childish eye;  
Fair as it is, thou wilt throw it by.

Throw it aside in thy weary hour,  
Throw to the ground the fair white flower;  
Yet, as thy tender years depart,  
Keep that white and innocent heart.

—William Cullen Bryant.

Lamb once remarked to Crabb Robinson, "How I hate those Blanks!" "But you have never seen them," said Robinson. "No," Lamb replied, "that's just it. That's why I hate them. I can never hate anyone that I have once seen."—Recorded Conversations of Lamb.

Brave deeds are monuments of brave men—Napoleon I.

## Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

There is an old saying—old in the sense that it is seldom heard in these days when all the people are in such a desperate hurry that they have no time to think of such things—that the good die young. That old saying was not a true saying even in the old days. It would not be a true saying if anybody said it in these young and vigorous days. It probably was based partly on the ancient injunction to speak no ill of the dead and partly on the human disposition to invest the dead who were dear to them in life with many imaginary virtues. Or it may be that the good actually die young because they do not live long enough to become bad.

We have known a goodly number of newspaper men during the term of our earthly pilgrimage. Some of them were good men from a professional point of view, and many of them were just ordinary from any point of view. As in the case of all men born of women, the elements in them were curiously mixed. Looking over the lat, I may declare that in selecting his victims he showed no discrimination. Many good men were taken, but many men who were just as good, and possibly better, were left.

The above somewhat doleful reflections are the result of certain comments we have been reading in the Canadian newspapers within the past few days. The death of William Findlay MacLean, who was almost an octogenarian, and was in many respects one of the most remarkable Canadians of this or any other time, proved an occasion of a great deal of newspaper comment, and the comment upon one departed veteran journalist has led to more comment upon a contemporary living journalist. Newspapers from coast to coast have been extending felicitations and congratulations to John R. Dougal, of Montreal, who has celebrated his eighty-eighth birthday and has been sitting in an editorial chair for sixty years.

Mr. Dougal is therefore one good newspaper man who did not die young, and he is still a good news paper man, for "custom has not stalled nor time withered" the infinite variety of his talents. The Montreal Witness, of which Mr. Dougal is editor and principal proprietor, has had a remarkable and varied career. It was once one of the leading daily newspapers of Canada and exercised an influence upon public opinion that was extraordinary considering the circumstances under which it was published.

The Witness was founded by the father of its present editor and proprietor. Some one said of The Toronto Globe that it was both political and religious. The Witness was both political and religious. It was Liberal in its politics, religious in its principles, and "temperance" in its sentiments, and it lived as a daily for many years although published and circulated in a constituency which had little sympathy with its political and religious views and no sympathy whatever with its sentiments on the liquor question. The Daily Witness was never a popular newspaper except within a limited circle, but it was a respected newspaper because in its views it reflected the high character of its publisher and editor. It is said that Dr. Wulff Laurier when confronted with political matters which required great delicacy of treatment frequently sought the counsel of the editor of the independent Witness and let him preference over the counsel of the directors of the "straight" party journals.

The principles of the Witness were not like the principles of the politician, which were so flexible that if they did not suit the constituency they could be altered. The Witness has influenced and directed public opinion in Canada for the good of the people for many years. Its contemporaries have unitedly raised their voices in congratulations to Mr. Dougal upon the attainment of his eighty-eighth birthday and in expressing the hope that he may be spared for many years to sit in the chair he has dignified and to maintain the position he has adorned.

At the same time, we are not so sure that Mr. Dougal of the Witness entitled to his acclaimed position of Dean of the newspaper profession in Canada. Our highly esteemed contemporary, Bernard McAvoy, of The Vancouver Province, who, although good, did not die young, and Time has dealt kindly with him and has not affected his professional attainments. On the score of nationality the claim made for Mr. Dougal may be valid, for the Montreal veteran is a Canadian born, while his Vancouver contem-

porary is a native of England and began his professional career in that country. But why call over trifles? The seemly thing to do is to extend the kindly greetings of the season to both veterans.

## ADDITION TO HOSPITAL IS DEDICATED

New Wing of Lourdes Hospital Is Available for Service to Wide Area at Campbell River

## EVERY DETAIL IS PROVIDED

On Friday, December 13, in the midst of a most picturesque though unpropitious snowstorm, the recently completed new wing of Lourdes Hospital, at Campbell River, was officially opened, with an attendance of about one hundred guests. A few days earlier the building had been blessed, the Rev. Father Gerald Quinn, parish priest, officiating. The opening ceremonies were to have been attended by Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary. In the unavoidable absence of Mr. Howe, Provincial Secretary, and Mr. A. Lamb, as the representative of the Government and Dr. R. E. Zeigler, of Campbell River, Vice-President of the Sisters of St. Ann, to whom the new wing is due, Messrs. G. Richardson and Mr. A. Sullivan, general contractor for the building; and by Dr. A. S. Lamb and the Rev. A. Green. Rev. Father Quinn responded on behalf of the Sisters of St. Ann, to whose charity and enterprise the reopening of the Red Cross Hospital is due. The Rev. Father Quinn, Superior of St. Joseph's Hospital, Sister M. Mark, who opened the Campbell River Hospital in 1926; Sister M. Peter, for many years of St. Joseph's Hospital, and now of St. Ann's Convent, New Westminister; Dr. Tilmann Briggs, of Comox, Rev. Edward Boston, and Rev. Father Hobbs, of Victoria, were present. The Rev. Father Hobbs, while congratulating the Sisters upon the opening of their new home, said that the Sisters had undertaken the very difficult task of providing a hospital for that community. With the full realization of the financial difficulties involved, the Sisters had whole-heartedly undertaken the difficult task. Dr. Richardson held that the duty of the community is to do its part in assisting to help this generous order maintain the well-equipped hospital they have developed.

In his address, Dr. Richardson, while congratulating the Sisters upon the opening of their fine hospital, gave a brief history of the events leading up to the time when the Sisters had undertaken the very difficult task of providing a hospital for that community. With the full realization of the financial difficulties involved, the Sisters had whole-heartedly undertaken the difficult task. Dr. Richardson held that the duty of the community is to do its part in assisting to help this generous order maintain the well-equipped hospital they have developed.

## INSPECTION OF HOSPITAL

Following the ceremonies addressed to the inspection of the hospital, Mr. Hobbs, representing the Board of School Trustees of Saanich on Wednesday, and Rev. Crouch on Thursday evening, reported that the new wing had been completed and was in full operation. The hospital district has acquired hospital advantages equal to any on Vancouver Island. The new wing more than doubles the capacity of the hospital, and in the arrangements for the comfort of the patients and staff, is a model of what a communal hospital should be.

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In closing his remarks to the council, Rev. Crouch is reported as saying: "In my opinion, the rate of pay should be the same as that of the Board of School Trustees of Saanich, and the hospital should be run on the same lines as the school board." The hospital, with a frontage of 120 feet, stands upon a height overlooking Overlooking Passage. The furnishings of an ideal sunroom, easy chairs, reading lamps, library nooks, were presented by Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, of Victoria. It is paneled in oak with green trimmings and is most elegant. The piano, which has been loan

ESTABLISHED 1885



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In the city police court yesterday, John Bahather was found guilty of a charge of having struck Mrs. Ethel Leynes last Saturday night, and was fined \$20 with the alternative of ten days' imprisonment.

For not showing up when driving a car past a school on Tuesday, Mrs. R. E. Greenhalge was fined \$10.

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## FRANCE LOSES YET ANOTHER EX-PRESIDENT

M. Emile Loubet, of Bonne Entente Fane, and Great Statesman, Is Called by Death

### WAS PROMINENT IN MANY GREAT MOVES

MONTELIMAR, France, Dec. 20.—Emile Loubet, former President of France, died at 9:35 p.m. today. He was ninety-one years old.

**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**  
M. Emile François Loubet, seventh President of the French Republic, was born on December 30, 1838, the son of a peasant proprietor at Marianne (Drôme). He was admitted to the Parisian bar in 1862, and took his doctorate in law next year. He was admitted to the service of his profession in Montelimar, where he married, in 1869, Marie Louise Picard. He also inherited a small estate at Grignan.

At the crisis of 1870 he became Mayor of Montelimar, and thenceforward was a steady supporter of M. Gambetta's policy.

**ELECTED AS DEPUTY**  
Elected to the Chamber of Deputies in 1876 by Montelimar, he was one of the first 463 who, in June 1877, passed the vote of want of confidence in the ministry of the Duc de Broglie. In the general election of October he was re-elected.

In 1880 he became President of the Departmental Council in Drôme. He entered the Interior in 1881 and became Minister of Public Works in the Tirard ministry, December, 1887, to March, 1888. In 1892 President Sadi Carnot, who was his personal friend, asked him to form a cabinet. M. Loubet held the portfolio of the Interior and the Premiership, and had to deal with the anarchist crime situation, calling in National Guards to disperse strikes of Carmagnac officials and soldiers in disparaging words.

He was defeated in November on the question of the Panama scandals, but he retained the Ministry of the Interior in the cabinet under M. Alexandre Ribot, though he resigned on his reappointment in 1893. His reputation as an orator of great force and lucidity of exposition, and as a safe and honest statesman, procured for him, in 1896, the Presidency of the Senate, and in February, 1899, he was chosen President of the Republic in succession to M. Félix Faure by 483 votes, against 279 recorded by M. Jules Méline.

**DREYFUS CASE**  
He was working out for a fierce opposition and bitter struggle for representative of that section of the Republican party which sought the revision of the Dreyfus case. On the day of President Faure's funeral, M. Paul Desautels met the troops, under General Roget, on their return to barracks and demanded that the general should immediately recall the Elysée. General Roget took his troops back to barracks. At the Auteuil steeple-chase in June, the President was struck on the head with a cane by an anti-Dreyfusard.

In that month President Loubet summoned M. Waldeck-Rousseau to form a cabinet, and at the same time entrusted Republique and shade to organize to rally to the defense of the state. By the efforts of M. Loubet and M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the Dreyfus affair was settled, and M. Loubet, acting on the advice of General Gallifet, Minister of War, remitted the ten years' imprisonment to which Dreyfus was condemned at Rennes.

**THE ENTENTE**  
Feeling had run high between France and Britain over the mutual criticisms passed on the conduct of the South African War and the Dreyfus case, respectively. These differences were composed by the Anglo-French entente, and in 1904 a convention between the two countries secured the recognition of the French claims in Morocco in exchange for noninterference with the British occupation of Egypt.

**OF PEASANT CLASS**  
President Loubet was a typical example of the peasant-proprietor class. He inaugurated the Paris Exhibition in 1900, received the Tsar Nicholas II in September, 1901, and paid a visit to Russia in 1902. He also exchanged visits with King Edward VII and King Alfonso XIII of Spain. In 1905 was the occasion of an attempt on his life, a bomb being thrown under his carriage as he was proceeding with his guest to the opera. His presidency came to an end in January, 1906, when he retired into private life.

**DEATH BY ACCIDENT**  
TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 20.—Accidental death was the verdict returned by a coroner's jury today investigating the death yesterday of Sigfried Forma, Finland, aged forty-four, fatally injured when he fell into a railway pit under construction at the Zinc Oxide Leaching plant being built by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Tadanac. The man fell sixteen feet, fracturing his skull.

**MR. J. CHRISTISON DIES AT SHAWNIGAN**

Was Well-Known Artist and Frequent Exhibitor in Victoria

The death occurred yesterday at Shawnigan Lake of Mr. James Christison, at the age of seventy-one years.

The funeral will be held there on Sunday afternoon, interment being made at the Anglican Church cemetery.

Mr. Christison was well known as an artist, and a consistent exhibitor for some years past at the annual exhibitions of the Island Arts and Crafts Society. His work had included some portraits of the members of an older school, and was invariably singled out for special notice by visitors to the gallery. His work included a number of Island scenes, as well as Old Country subjects.

Mr. Christison is survived by his wife, three sons and a daughter.

Mrs. James Christison, the daughter, is engaged on the bacteriological staff at the University of British Columbia.

### Obituary

**BUTTERWICK**—The remains of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Butterwick, who passed away last Tuesday at St. Joseph's Hospital, were forwarded to Edmunds this afternoon by the Samson Funeral Company, where services will be conducted. Interment will be in the family plot.

**HOLLOWELL**—There passed away suddenly Friday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, William Hollowell, aged seventy years. The late Mr. Hollowell was born at Lucknow, India, and has been a resident of this city for the past six months. He is survived by his widow, William F. Hollowell, 542 Oliver Street. Funeral services will be held on Monday afternoon, December 23, at 2:30 o'clock from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, corner of Quadra and Broughton Streets. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Park.

**MCLELLAN**—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Evelyn McLellan, nee Bewell, who passed away at Keweenaw, B.C., on Thursday, December 19, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, corner of Quadra and Broughton Streets. Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell will officiate, assisted by Rev. Hugh L. Nixon, and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Park.

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**VICTORIA RADIO CLUB IS AROUSED**

Takes Exception to Programme Burlesquing San Juan Occupation

To discuss means of stopping malicious propaganda from United States broadcasting stations, the executive of the Victoria Radio Club held a special meeting last evening.

Attention was called to National

Broadcasting stations on Wednesday evening for the Associated Oil Company, purporting to be the travels of "Jack" and "Ethyl," newlyweds.

The entertainment took the form of a burlesque upon the British occupation of San Juan Island and referred to Hudson's Bay Company officials and soldiers in disparaging words.

It was decided to draft letters to Premier Mackenzie King, the Federal Radio Commission, National Broadcasting Company, Associated Oil Company and to the stations which broadcast the programme, urging that all scenarios be carefully examined to eliminate what the Radio Club termed "Americanization of Canada."

Attention was also focused upon a booklet issued upon the Prese of Montreal entitled "Aird Project Menaces the Trade and Commerce of Canada."

The publication was propaganda against establishment of Dominion Government radio stations, similar to the many successful ones in England.

The Victoria Radio Club went on record as being strongly in favor of Government control of stations to eliminate fast-growing undesirable advertising woven through all programmes.

**SANTA CLAUS IN FUTURE WILL GET ALL HIS LETTERS**

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—The Postmaster-General has taken up the question of the mail to Santa Claus, and hereafter all such mail will be duly delivered.

Every year small Canadians, with a sublime faith in the postoffice, slip letters to Santa Claus in the nearest mail box. Most of these are addressed "Santa Claus, North Pole." In former years such letters have found their way to the Dead Letter Office, later to be destroyed.

The Postmaster-General, however, has now issued instructions that such letters are to be delivered to the big department stores, where Santa Claus holds receptions for some time before Christmas. Even if baby fingers have failed to put a stamp on the letter, the letters will get through just the same.

The Postmaster-General said the mail is divided up and delivered to the various stores which have a Santa Claus. These stores usually send the young correspondent a letter, usually gaily decorated, acknowledging the missives. Only when no address is given is the letter to be destroyed by the Dead Letter Office.

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ans—David A. McDonald, Adam Mayer, Alvin and Anthony Stein—who slipped across the international border to search for work, found it. Today they were

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## U.B.C. Needs Presented to Government

A delegation from the University of British Columbia waited upon the Government yesterday and discussed the work of the institution for the coming year. There were present Dr. L. S. Klinck, president of the university; Dr. R. E. McKechnie, chancellor of the institution; Dean M. Clement, of the Faculty of Agriculture; and Mr. L. Reid, K.C.

The delegation came for the particular purpose of discussing with the members of the Government the needs of the university, and this aspect of the situation was gone into at length.

On the estimates for the year will be brought forward by the university authorities, looking to the meeting of the requirements of the new year.

**Three Men Fight In Toronto for Mayoralty Honor**

TORONTO Dec. 20.—A three-cornered fight for the Queen City's highest municipal office was assured today when three were nominated for the mayoralty for 1930. Mayor Samuel McBride, Controller Bert Wemp and Controller Albert Hacker, all of whom have had many years experience in civic affairs, are the three nominees.

The contest has resolved itself into a fight as to the advisability of Toronto's proposed \$19,000,000 town planning scheme, which, if passed, will open up many new streets in downtown Toronto, and facilitate traffic movement, according to its proponents.

The citizens will vote on a referendum embodying the plan.

Swedish hornless cattle are being raised in Lapland

**Mr. Gordon Downes Succumbs at Jubilee Hospital After Many Years' Teaching in Victoria and District**

**OVERSEAS WITH UNIVERSITY BATT.**

Mr. Gordon Downes, B.Sc., prin-

cipal of Oak Bay High School, died

last night at the Jubilee Hospital,

following a long period of illness.

Mr. Downes is survived by his wife, widow, living on St. Patrick Street,

here, and three young daughters, Gladys, Sheila and Margaret.

Mr. Downes was born in 1868, leaving

England for Canada in 1893, leaving

the position of high school principal there. He came to the Victoria High School as assistant principal in 1914 and took a similar position at Oak Bay High School in the early part of 1915.

He went overseas with the Uni-

versity Battalion and returned in

1918. He took the position of prin-

cipal of the Oak Bay High School

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Reception Tender Peas, No. 2 sieve, 2 lbs.	43c
Reception Green Cut Beans, first quality, 2 lbs.	31c
Nabob Tea in fancy gift tins, 1-lb. tins.	65c
King Oscar Sardines, 2 tins for	29c
Billow Crabmeat, 1/4-lb. tins at	28c
Ripe Olives, 9-oz. tin.	25c
Home-Made Plum Puddings, each	55c, 85c and \$1.15
Imported English Plum Puddings, each	\$1.25 and \$1.90
Shortcake Tarts and Sandwiches, per lb.	35c
3 lbs. for	\$1.00
Christmas Stockings, each	25c, 50c and \$1.00
English Biscuits in fancy tins, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25	
Chocolate in fancy gift boxes, from	50c to \$1.50
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Fine Quality New Mixed Nuts, per lb.	22c
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Fresh Head Lettuce, each	10c
Fresh Celery, stick	15c
Fresh Cauliflower, 25c and 20c	
Special Christmas Hams, mild cure, whole or half, per lb.	35c
Fine Anchor Brand New Zealand Butter, per lb.	44c
3 lbs.	1.28
Mild Cheese, per lb.	27c
Majestic Loaf Cheese, per lb.	27c
Pure Lard, per lb.	17c
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## Axioms Gagers Defeat Duncan

Local Team Chalks Up 21-18 Victory on Up-Island Floor—Duncan in Lead at Half Time

### C.P.S. GO UNDER BY 31-27 SCORE

C.P.S. and Axioms, local cage teams, broke even in their exhibition series at Duncan last night, when the lumbermen tasted defeat to the tune of 31-27, while Axioms won by a 21-18 score.

#### FAST GAME

In a fast, close-checking game, in which no less than nineteen personal fouls were handed out by referee James Barl at the Victoria City Hall yesterday was one to Mr. A. W. B. Jones, for the erection of a six-roomed frame and stucco dwelling and a garage, at 522 Trutch Street. The cost of the project is \$4,500.

**Holidays Start**—The annual Christmas holidays for the school children commenced yesterday, with the closing of the graded schools and high school in the city until January 4. Victoria College remained in the park, and re-opened on the same day as the graded schools and high school. Closing exercises and entertainments took place in a number of the schools.

**Lodge Elects Officers**—The annual election of the Binal Birth Lodge was held Thursday night, resulting in the election of the following officers: President, Rabbi Jack Levy; vice-president, Eli Bean; treasurer, Gerry Gorosh; secretary, Ralph Rosenblatt; sergeant-at-arms, Herman Burns, and a board of trustees. The officers-elect will be installed in the early part of January. The entire personnel of the lodge officers have been changed.

**McDonald and J. Dirome were the stars for Duncan, while George Davis was the best man for the C.P.S.**

Tommy Forbes refereed and the teams were:

Duncan—McDonald (10), Fletcher (5), McMillian (4), J. Dirome (1), A. Dirome (9) and Talbot (2).

C.P.S.—Davis (9), Butler (10), Shillings (4), D. Bissell (1), Fagerberg (2), Martin, Viggers (1) and Warnock.

**AXIOMS WIN**

Axioms women's "B" team came from behind in the second half and walled through to a 21-18 victory over Duncan in the second exhibition game. Duncan held a three-point lead at halftime.

Bennett refereed and the teams were:

Axioms—J. Milliken (4), J. Anderson (3), R. Penzer (2), K. Freestone (4), R. Bethel, A. Ames (8) and G. Stipe.

Duncan—E. Weeks (10), U. Fletcher, T. Caitley (7), I. Stock (8), R. Weeks and G. Stock.

**OLIMEN WIN**

In a Duncan City League game played as the curtain raiser Shell Oil five ran through to a 26-22 victory over the Firemen. McNicol, of the losers, with fourteen points, was the leading scorer.

Fletcher refereed and the teams were:

Shell Oil Co.—Smythe (10), Montgomery (8), Pitt (8), Pitt (8), Baker and Dickie.

Firemen—McNicol (14), E. Evans, Townsend (8), A. Evans and H. Marsh.

**RUGBY LINE-UPS**

Canadian Scottish intermediate Rugby line-up for today follows: Muirhead, Thurnburn, Hessilien, H. R. Batty, R. Halls, Campbell, Blakely, R. Batty, Anderson, Stark, F. Hall, Mabee, Scrimshire, J. Gani and Jones.

J.B.A.A. senior line-up for their battle with the Canadian Scottish at the West Park. The line-up follows:

Buttan, Fell, Gaunt, Warne, Webster, Hume, Godwin, Cockin, Dan Parfitt, Buss, McDonald, Askey, Mawhood, Buller and Goad.

The senior Canadian Scottish will be picked from the following: Parker, Kinman, Throgosse, Horne, Dunn, Oliver, R. Williamson, Tyrell, B. Forbes, Lamb, Miller, G. Wenman, C. Forbes, Fanning and Curtis.

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### DR. SIPPRELL ON CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

The services at Metropolitan Church will feature the Christmas spirit throughout the day. At 11 o'clock Dr. Sipprell will give a brief address on "The Christmas Spirit." The "White Gifts" for the King service will be held at 2:45 p.m. on the Sunday school and will be full of delight for all. The midweek service will be withdrawn this week.

The full musical programme for the day is as follows:

Morning—Anthem, "O Zion, That Bringest Good Tidings" (Stanier); anthem, "Brightest and Best" (Dudley Buck); solo, "The Angel's Song," from H. John Stetson.

At the morning service, Mr. Edward Parsons, the organist, will give an organ recital, commencing at 7 o'clock sharp. His programme will include some very fine settings of Christmas themes, and no doubt will be enjoyed by a large audience.

Following the whole of the evening service, a continuous concert of Christmas music, including the well known hymns and carols, in which the congregation will join. The choir has been augmented for the occasion and will be heard in carols and anthems, assisted by Miss Parsons, Miss Merlin North and Dr. H. John Stetson. The full programme follows: Organ recital, commencing at 7 o'clock, by Mr. Parsons; "Awaken, O Shepherd" (Gounod); Pastorale (Sullivan); Fantasia on "Come, Emmanuel" (Cuthbert Harris); Pastoral (Kullak); Carols ("Silent Night," "O Come, All Ye Faithful," "The Moon Looks Down on Bethlehem, There Came Three Kings," sixteenth century); Solo, "Jesus Bambino" (Pietro Yon); Dr. T. H. Johns' anthem, "Holy Night" (Adolph Adam); solo, Miss Dorothy Parsons' solo, "Babe Divine" (Hamblen); Miss Merlin North Offertory, organ; Christmas Carol (Gounod); Mr. Edward Parsons' anthem, "Nazareth" (Gounod); Postlude, "Noel" (Gounod); Mr. Edward Parsons.

On Sunday, December 29, at both services Christmas music will be given. Mrs. Edward Parsons will be heard in all the morning services. At the evening service the choir and the director, Mr. Edward Parsons, will present the first part of "The Messiah," assisted by Mrs. Arthur Dowell, soprano; Mrs. S. M. Morton, contralto; Mr. Thomas Leyton, tenor, and Mr. Fred Wright, bass.

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Mrs. Gordon Grant Will Speak at Both Services  
11 A.M.—"The Birth of Jesus Christ—This Will Be a Beautiful Symbolic Service."  
11 A.M.—Superintendent, Mr. Harold Pratt.  
7:30 P.M.—Subject, "The Awakened Child"; "The Children in Us." The Tuesday Afternoon Service Is Withdrawn.  
Thursday, the Correspondence School Course Will Begin at 8 a.m. Noon Program Service Every Day.  
Office Hours, 3 to 4.  
Reading Room Open 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.

### Rejoicing to Mark Services Of Tomorrow

CAROLS by choir and congregation, pageants by children, appropriate topics by pastors, organ music from the great composers, Advent hymns and the atmosphere of Christian rejoicing will mark the services on the Sunday preceding the great festival of the birth of the Saviour of the world.

A number of the churches will hold services on Christmas morning, announcements of which will be found in Tuesday morning's issue.

## ST. JOHN'S HAS CAROL SERVICE

### ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF CHRISTMAS SONG AT QUADRA STREET SCHOOL

Choice Choral Selections and Organ Recital to Mark Festival Day

The services at St. John's Church for the fourth Sunday in Advent will consist of holy communion at 8 o'clock, morning prayer at 11 and evensong with carol service at 7:30. The rector, Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, will preach at the morning service.

Following the usual custom for the Sunday evening immediately before Christmas, there will be no sermon or address, but more than half a dozen special numbers will be rendered by a large choir, and the people will sing the familiar Christmas hymns and songs.

The Quadsra Street school will hold its annual "white gift service" in the auditorium of the church at 3 o'clock.

This year a most unique programme has been arranged, and the Sunday school choir, under its new leader, Mr. W. B. Crowther, will render special carols. Scholars of the various departments will render what they have learned, and they will be used to provide hamper for the poor and needy of the city, the children in this way showing the true Christmas spirit.

The Christmas music by the choir is as follows: Morning: Ladies, trio, "Stars All Bright Are Shining," "Hark, What Mean These Holy Voices," "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night." During the service the anthem "Christmas Day," introducing a number of carols, arranged by Gustave Holst, will be sung by the choir. Evening: Solo, "Jesus Bamboino" (Pietro Yon); Solo, "T. R. Bowden, Evening Choir, "Cherubim Song," "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Meindlinger); and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" (Sullivan), the solo part being taken by Miss Donna White.

On Christmas Day there will be services at 7:15 and 8 o'clock, consisting of holy communion, and at 11 there will be morning prayer and holy communion. The Christmas treat for the Sunday school will be held on December 30, commencing with a supper for the children at 6 o'clock, which will be followed by the programme and presentation of diplomas, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

**Christmas Pageant**  
At Douglas Street

### CENTRAL OFFERS CENTRAL THEME

Sermons and Song Will Utter Christmas Truth—Members Will Be Received

Special messages and warm-hearted Christmas singing will mark the services tomorrow at the Central Baptist Church on Pandora Avenue. In the morning, the pastor, Rev. J. R. Hobson, will speak on the subject, "No Room in the Inn," to be followed by the Lord's Supper and the reception of new members.

At the evening gospel service the special subject will be "The Sevenfold Magnificat at the Saviour's Birth." There will be hearty congregational singing when the old Christmas favorites will be sung as well as special items.

An old-fashioned Christmas morning service will be held Wednesday, December 25, at 11 o'clock, the time to be "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see." All are invited to this one-hour service of worship.

**ST. MARY'S TO HAVE CAROLS**

Nearness of Christmas Will Be Marked by Fitting Music at Oak Bay Church

There will be a celebration of Holy Communion in St. Mary's tomorrow at 8 o'clock. Matins and sermon at 7:30 a.m. of the day. Christmas carols will be sung at the evening service. The Sunday school will meet in St. Mary's Hall; senior classes at 9:45 o'clock and junior classes at 11.

**GIVE SYMBOLIC OF CHRISTMAS DAY**

Services at the Unity Centre tomorrow will be one of symbolism, two persons taking part in the service. The subject for the service will be "The Birth of Jesus the Christ." The music will all be suitable for Christmas, and the solo by Mrs. Hebdon will be specially so. In the evening the morning talk will be continued under the title of "The Awakening of the Christ in Us."

The children of the Sunday school will be their turn to sing Christmas tree today, when they will enjoy picture slides by Mr. T. Cashmore. The class usually held on Tuesday afternoon will be withdrawn. On Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, the study class will be held as usual. Anyone interested is invited to any of these meetings.

**Fairfield United Church**

Rev. Hugh Nixon, Pastor  
CHRISTMAS SERVICES  
11 A.M.—CLASS MEETING

11 A.M.—"THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS"—DR. SIPPRELL  
Anthem, "Ezion, That Brings Good Tidings" (Stanier)  
Anthem, "Brightest and Best" (Dudley Buck)

2:45 P.M.—WHITE GIFTS SERVICE—Open to All  
7:30 P.M.—ORGAN RECITAL BY MR. EDWARD PARSONS  
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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

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Morning Worship, 11 o'clock—"NO ROOM IN THE INN"

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Evening Gospel Service and Christmas Singing, 7:30

### "The Sevenfold Magnificat AT THE SAVIOUR'S BIRTH"

SPECIAL SERVICE CHRISTMAS MORNING

Wednesday, December 25, at 11 o'clock

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**Metropolitan United Church**

Car. Quads and Pandas

Rev. W. J. Sipprell, D.D., Pastor; Frederick King, Choirmaster  
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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

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SPEAKER: MR. T. L. KIPP, OF VANCOUVER

10 A.M.—SHARP—SUNDAY STUDY HOUR. Conducted by Mr. G. Hallatt

11 A.M.—"WOOD'S CHRISTMAS GIFT"

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## LARGE CHOIR SINGS CAROLS

Dr. Wilson Will Suggest Continuance of Joy Felt at Hearing the First Angels' Song

### WHITE GIFTS IN AFTERNOON

All the services in the First United Church will take on the color and character tomorrow from the Christmas season. At the morning service Dr. Wilson will preach on "The Angels' Song." It will be suggested that some people still hear the angels' song and that perhaps all might if they wished to. In view of the Christian church being a church to develop and carry on the finest things in which Christianity stands, and all kinds of people should find their way to some Christian place of worship on Sunday, that their noblest impulses may be quickened, their hopes revived, and their hearts gladdened.

The evening service, at 7:30 o'clock, will be almost wholly one of praise. There will be no sermon or address, but more than half a dozen special numbers will be rendered by a large choir, and the people will sing the familiar Christmas hymns and songs.

The Quadsra Street school will hold its annual "white gift service" in the auditorium of the church at 3 o'clock. This year a most unique programme has been arranged, and the Sunday school choir, under its new leader, Mr. W. B. Crowther, will render special carols. Scholars of the various departments will render what they have learned, and they will be used to provide hamper for the poor and needy of the city, the children in this way showing the true Christmas spirit.

The Christmas music by the choir is as follows: Morning: Ladies, trio, "Stars All Bright Are Shining," "Hark, What Mean These Holy Voices," "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night." During the service the anthem "Christmas Day," introducing a number of carols, arranged by Gustave Holst, will be sung by the choir. Evening: Solo, "Jesus Bamboino" (Pietro Yon); Solo, "T. R. Bowden, Evening Choir, "Cherubim Song," "Angels From the Realms of Glory" (Meindlinger); and "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" (Sullivan), the solo part being taken by Miss Donna White.

On Christmas Day there will be services at 7:15 and 8 o'clock, consisting of holy communion, and at 11 there will be morning prayer and holy communion. The Christmas treat for the Sunday school will be held on December 30, commencing with a supper for the children at 6 o'clock, which will be followed by the programme and presentation of diplomas, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

**EMMANUEL TO HAVE CAROLS AND SOLOS**

White Gifts Service Set for Morning, Christmas Music in Evening

At the morning service the special subject will be "The Sevenfold Magnificat at the Saviour's Birth." There will be hearty congregational singing when the old Christmas favorites will be sung as well as special items.

An old-fashioned Christmas morning service will be held Wednesday, December 25, at 11 o'clock, the time to be "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see." All are invited to this one-hour service of worship.

**ST. MARY'S TO HAVE CAROLS**

Nearness of Christmas Will Be Marked by Fitting Music at Oak Bay Church

There will be a celebration of Holy Communion in St. Mary's tomorrow at 8 o'clock. Matins and sermon at 7:30 a.m. of the day. Christmas carols will be sung at the evening service. The Sunday school will meet in St. Mary's Hall; senior classes at 9:45 o'clock and junior classes at 11.

**GIVE SYMBOLIC OF CHRISTMAS DAY**

Services at the Unity Centre tomorrow will be one of symbolism, two persons taking part in the service. The subject for the service will be "The Birth of Jesus the Christ." The music will all be suitable for Christmas, and the solo by Mrs. Hebdon will be specially so. In the evening the morning talk will be continued under the title of "The Awakening of the Christ in Us."

The children of the Sunday school will be their turn to sing Christmas tree today, when they will enjoy picture slides by Mr. T. Cashmore. The class usually held on Tuesday afternoon will be withdrawn. On Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, the study class will be held as usual. Anyone interested is invited to any of these meetings.

**Fairfield United Church**

Rev. Hugh Nixon, Pastor  
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**Bethlehem's Child in Carpenter's Shop**



## CHRISTMAS MUSIC AT FIRST BAPTIST

Mr. Stout's Choir to Render Fitting Programmes—Pastor Will Preach

Centennial Pastor Will Give Story Night—Choir Will Give Seasonal Music

All day Sunday at Centennial, Christmas will be in the air, services will be held at the First Baptist Church on Sunday.

At the morning service the pastor, Rev. A. J. Vincent, will speak on "The First Advent of Christ" at the morning service, the choir will sing the hymn "Once in David's Royal City." The children of the Sunday school will make their "white gift" offering.

The church will be open at 11 o'clock, the pastor will give a short address on "A Song of the Redeemed." After the sermon there will be a service of Christmas music.

The following is the Christmas music to be rendered during the day:

Morning—Organ, "Christmas Fantasy on Well-Known Christmas Melodies" (Dunstan); anthem, "O Come, All Ye Faithful"; solo, "Brightest and Best" (Dudley Buck).

# BENNY BASS WINS JUNIOR LIGHTWEIGHT CROWN

Victoria Cubs Defeat Seattle Eskimos for Second Win in P.C.H.L.

## Osmundson's Marker Late in Third Frame Gives Cubs Victory

Counter Twenty-Seven Seconds Before Final Whistle Gives Orphaned Victoria Squad 2-1 Win—H. Runge Ties Score in Second

SEATTLE, Dec. 20.—Scoring the winning goal twenty-seven seconds before the end of the game Victoria handed Seattle its third consecutive defeat in the Pacific Coast Hockey League here tonight. The score was 2-1 in favor of Victoria. After taking a one-point lead in the first period the crippled Eskimos fell before the superior play of the Cubs in the last two stanzas. Cecil Browne, Seattle centre, counted the second goal of the game with a long sailing shot which slipped between Goalie Robertson's legs after 14:22 minutes of play.

Herman Runge tied the score for Victoria when he beat Goalie Winkler with the same kind of a goal. Runge flipped the puck from the blue line and it deflected into the net of Winkler's right leg. The goal was made after 2:54 minutes of play in the second period.

### OSMUNDSON SCORES

Just when it looked as though the battle was going into overtime Osmundson took a short pass from Evans in front of the Seattle net and easily sent the puck past Winkler with only twenty-one seconds left to play. Evans had carried the disk the length of the ice with Osmundson skating ahead of him. As Evans reached the blue line Osmundson dashed in close to the goal and took a perfect pass.

With only a few seconds to play all the Seattle players except the goalie went down into the Cub's territory with the rubber and waged a desperate battle to score. Dan Daly, who was defense ace, sent the ball from a frenzy when he took the puck in front of the Victoria goal and pushed it into the net, but the score did not count as the final whistle had sounded two seconds before. The fans stood and booted as the players left the ice.

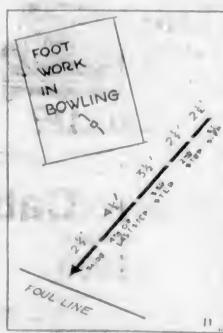
### NINETEEN PENALTIES

Nineteen penalties were called by Referee Ion, including six on Oliver Redpath, Victoria defence star. Redpath and Art Townsend, of Seattle, were sent to the bench for eleven minutes each when they tangled in the third period. Redpath skated into Townsend and the latter knocked him down. Before Ion could reach them they blazed away with their fists.

Seattle was without the services of Jack Walker and Smoky Harris, sterling forwards.

Evans, H. Runge and Osmundson played well for Victoria, while

## LESSONS IN BOWLING



How many steps should be taken before delivering the ball?

Answered by  
JOE FALCERO

His 1929 Bowling Feats: Won N. Y. State All Events; won Evening World Individual Championship, averaging 239 for 99 games; had an average of 223 for all exhibition games, which numbered more than 300 games.

The number of steps which should be taken before the proper delivery of the ball, is four.

The first step should be taken with the right foot extended and then you alternate, taking the last step with the left foot extended forward.

The total average space to be covered by these four steps is approximately sixteen feet. The first two steps are about two and one-half feet each in width. The third step is about three and one-half feet in width.

The last and final step is about four and one-half feet in width, making a total of sixteen feet.

This comes with the side of about two and one-half feet, will bring the bowler to a distance of about five or six inches from the foul line. Of course, an experienced bowler should come within two inches of the foul line.

### BILL CARRIGAN

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—Bill Carrigan, who in 1915-16 piloted the Boston Red Sox to two world championships, today regained that baseball berth in the second time in fifteen years. He told Pressman Bob Quinn who visited him at his home in Lewiston, Maine, that he had to quit baseball or neglect his own affairs. When Quinn returned to Boston tonight he said he was not ready to announce Carrigan's successor, who will probably be Heinie Wagner, "Wild Bill's" first lieutenant for many years.

### NANAIMO BOWLING

NANAIMO, Dec. 20.—In a Commercial Fivepin League bowling fixture, Philpot's Cafe were successful in taking the odd point from the City Cleaners. Eddie Friend rolled with a total of 561 pins, while Cliff Cusack won the Capital passes with high single score of 275 pins. Scores follow:

		CITY CLEANERS		
C. Carr	182	142	161	465
C. McArthur	143	187	217	547
R. Caldwell	168	157	220	546
R. Robertson	238	144	147	549
B. Summers	84	159	191	454
Total	130	128	196	454
	188	109	143	440
J. Cook	189	229	143	561
E. Friend	147	129	127	403
P. Cook	275	102	135	512
C. Cusack	275	183	189	526
Total	2370	2340	2340	2340

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J. Piper ... 174 191 160 ... 525  
H. Shepherd ... 249 186 223 ... 658

Total ..... 2802

### Billy Wallace Wins

DETROIT, Dec. 20.—Billy Wallace, Cleveland lightweight, won referee's decision over Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle nego, in a ten-round main bout here tonight.

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By Ripley



"ALL THINGS COME TO HIM WHO WAITS"  
"TIME AND TIDE WAIT FOR NO MAN"

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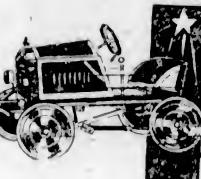
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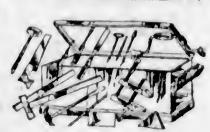
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### MINOR HOCKEY

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—New Haven's Eagles and the Boston Tigers fought to a 3-3 overtime tie in a Canadian-American League hockey game at the Boston Garden last night.

**INTERNATIONAL**  
At Windsor—Windsor, 3; Detroit, 1.  
At Toronto—Hamilton, 6; Toronto, 1.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 3; St. Paul, 1.

**BOWLING**

C.N.R. WIN  
Canadian National Railway five-pin brunicles furnished a surprise on the Arcade Alleys last night when they took the odd game from the Huskies. E. Whitehead, with 256 in his first game, led the individual scores, while H. Moulton annexed aggregate honors by spelling 638 pins. The scores:

**Huskies**  
D. Donaldson . . . . . 255 147—618  
S. Bennett . . . . . 162 205—585  
O. Wilkinson . . . . . 184 188—352  
Low Score . . . . . 185 175—351  
H. Moulton . . . . . 232 197—638  
R. Laughlin . . . . . 233 138—485

Totals . . . . . 1048 929—2923  
C.N.R.

E. Stewart . . . . . 145—145  
E. Whitehead . . . . . 256 152—408  
H. A. Stuart . . . . . 199 246—718  
C. Hilton . . . . . 185 205—536  
H. Doherty . . . . . 223 183—543  
T. Nute . . . . . 169 172—536

Totals . . . . . 1052 961—2824  
C.N.R.

**OWLS GAIN REVENGE**

Colonial Night Owls, present leaders of the City Bowling League, gained revenge for their previous losses at the hands of the Colonists, on the Arcade Alleys last night by taking two games. This brings the number of games won and lost in league fixtures between these teams to an even half dozen each.

The Owls, of the Night Owls, set a fast pace by toppling 587 pins to head the aggregate scores, and 244 in own high individual honors.

The scores:

**Colonists**

J. Matson . . . . . 178 155 177—510  
H. Pickup . . . . . 140 145 140—433  
W. Fairall . . . . . 183 157 151—491  
A. Hawkins . . . . . 139 180 187—503  
C. Chlaet . . . . . 168 172 132—472

Totals . . . . . 808 809—798—2412

**Colonist Night Owls**

H. Moulton . . . . . 152 127 200—390  
W. Youhill . . . . . 139 148 122—406  
J. Skellern . . . . . 182 126 182—493  
W. Norris . . . . . 180 177 182—475  
J. Huxtable . . . . . 193 244 150—587

Totals . . . . . 828 822 712—2363

**CHRISTMAS BOIL**

The following players will roll tonight in the Christmas turkey competition: R. Wilson, A. Potts, J. Quinn, C. Chislett, I. Summers, A. Anderson, A. Porter, W. Fairall, V. Irwin, H. Pickup and L. Colton.

Play will roll on Monday afternoon, following: Skellern, L. Fox, W. Youhill, W. Norris, W. Clayton, R. Laughlin and C. Williams.

Players rolling Monday night follow: L. M. Sailway, J. Huxtable, J. Matson, R. H. Lyons, O. Corbett, A. Theobold, J. Leetham, D. Clarke, W. Talbot and S. Jenkins.

Father—I tell you I won't let you marry this man. You're not suited to each other. Let's not argue any further.

Young Thing—But, father, judging from what you say, I am, and what you've been calling him, surely we must be perfectly suited to each other.

## Rose City Sending Formidable Squad To Oppose Locals

Multnomah Club Cagers Who Will Appear Here on January 7 Is Strongest in Five Years —Personnel of Team Is Announced

The Multnomah Club basketball team, which will appear in five games in a like number of nights against teams on various parts of the Island, playing in Victoria on January 7, is the strongest squad ever put out by the club in the past five years, according to information received from the Rose City yesterday by President Jack Taylor.

Ray Brooks, who has tutored the Checkersboards crack independent school amateur basketball team in Portland for the past three years, has the best material in the city from which to mold a team. Brooks has a generous sprinkling of ex-college stars to strengthen the quintette, which is mostly made up of youngsters.

These collegians and ex-high school players have been coached by Brooks for the past three months and have absorbed much of his fast-breaking style of play, in which emphasis is laid on speed. Brooks also teaches a man-to-man defense and four-man offensive formation, with all but one guard in the plays down the floor. The Checkersboards promise. In every one of the nine games played so far, he has taken the top-off. Around Ingalls revives the entire play of the team, and he is a power on both offence and defense.

#### GUNTHER ON TEAM

Jerry Gunther, ex-University of Oregon forward, and named on the all-American college team while in school, will handle one forward position. He is big and rugged, having played four years of basketball in college. He is a crack shot and an outstanding defensive man.

Ray Grap, ex-Oregon State College forward, will be in the other forward position. He was outstanding while in college, winning the forward position on the all-Northwest team. Ray Edwards, ex-University of Oregon guard, is the third collagen on the team. Edwards is more than six feet four inches in height and has had four years of high school and two years of independent basketball experience. He is a young player with plenty of speed and

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Sunday morning services at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Victoria, are held at 10 o'clock. Evening services are at 7:30 o'clock. Wednesday evening services, which include testimonies of healing, are held at 8 o'clock. A free reading-room for the public is maintained in the Sayward Building.

**TREAT CHRISTMAS  
FROM VIEWPOINT  
OF NEW THOUGHT**

Tomorrow, at the New Thought Temple, Mr. T. L. Hipp, of Vancouver, will speak on "God's Christmas Present" in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening the title of his address will be "The New Birth." These lectures will deal with the Christmas festival in the light of the new teaching.

During the morning study hour Mr. George Hallett will continue his esoteric studies with the life of Jesus between the ages of thirteen and thirty, a critical period of his life, of which the New Testament gives no account.

**PRESBYTERIANS  
TO HOLD RALLY**

Seven Sunday Schools Will Meet at St. Andrew's Church January 1

The seven Presbyterian Sunday Schools of the city have completed their arrangements for the annual New Year's gathering to be held in St. Andrew's Church on January 1 at eleven o'clock. Mr. Jesse Longfield, who will be in charge of the meeting, has invited each school to take part. Each school, in response to the roll call, will respond either by repeating a portion of Scripture or by singing. The address will be given by Rev. A. O. Thompson. Mr. Wm. Martin will preside. The annual rally has been quite a feature with the Presbyterians of the city for several years. It is hoped to have the coming one the largest of any yet held.

**INCARNATION IS  
ADJUTANT'S TOPIC**

Special Christmas services will be held all day tomorrow at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, Adjutant and Mrs. Merritt leading. The Citadel band and Songster Brigade will render appropriate music, and congregational singing. Christmas hymns will be a feature of the meetings, which are all open to the public. At the evening service Adjutant Merritt will continue the series of meditations on the Saviour, the subject being "The Heart of Jesus the Incarnation."

Sunday school will be held as usual at 2 o'clock. The Christmas tree entertainment will take place in the Citadel Monday night, December 30, at 7:30 o'clock.

**Christmas Carols  
To Be Sung at St.  
Paul's Presbyterian**

Inspiring services are being planned and prepared for St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Henley Street, Victoria. West, tomorrow. A choir of twenty voices will render Christmas carols, and the minister, Rev. J. S. Patterson, will speak on "The Dayspring From on High Hath Visited Us." In the evening, at 7:30 o'clock, the theme will be "The Child in the Manger."

And those who are lonely or strangers in the city are specially invited to these services. The song service will commence at 7:15 o'clock, led by Mr. Henry McCleary, A.T.C.M.

**Progressive Thought  
Temple Plans**

Dr. A. F. Barton will speak at both services of the Progressive Thought Temple tomorrow. At 11 a.m. he will speak on "Keeping Christmas" and at 3 p.m. he will speak on "Things of Great Joy." Due to a Change in Date, however, Wednesday Dr. Barton will hold his weekly health lecture on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, when he will speak on "How's Your Health?" Plans are well under way for the big dance on New Year's Eve, which will be held in the Amphion Hall with dancing from 9 to 2. Novelty noise makers, caps, etc., will be distributed and refreshments will be served by the ladies of the club.

**Victoria West to  
Present White  
Gifts Tomorrow**

Seasonable and attractive services will be held in Victoria West United Church tomorrow—services full of the Christmas spirit and influence. At the morning service the minister, Rev. H. J. Armitage, will speak on "A Question of Glory and Good Will." At the evening service the subject will be "The God Revealing Christmas Spirit," which will be rendered at both services.

During the Sunday school session a "White Gift Service" will take place. All the scholars are urged to bring their offerings of useful articles, which will be given to those in need.

**Theosophical Society**

Monday evening at 8 o'clock the Victoria Independent Theosophical Society will hold a public meeting in the Jones Building, Fort Street, when the study of "The Ocean of Theosophy" will be continued. Open discussion and questions are invited.



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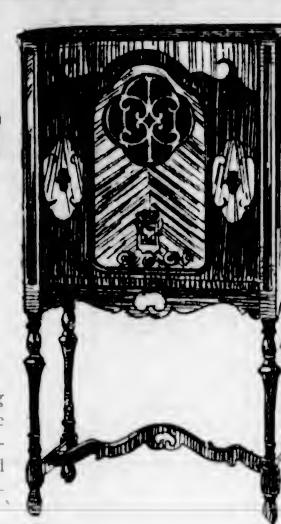
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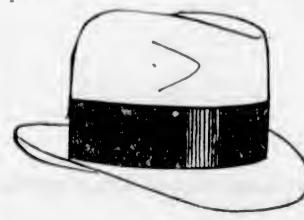
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VANCOUVER, Dec. 20.—Saturday, February 15, was set as the date for the semi-annual meeting of the British Columbia branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, at a special gathering of the provincial executive to work with him. The following names will be submitted to Mr. Courtney for his approval: Dr. J. O. Davidson, Bert Davison, Chief W. J. Bingham, Dan McKenzie, R. C. Macdonald, Andrew B. Turner, Dr. J. S. Bricker and W. S. McGuire, of the Victoria Y.M.C.A.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 20.—Richard Shikat, recognised by the New York and Pennsylvania Athletic Commission as world's champion wrestler, successfully defended his title here tonight by defeating Jim McMillan, of the University of Illinois football star, in 1 hour, 25 minutes, 45 seconds. Shikat pinned his opponent's shoulders to the mat with a body slam.

ing of the A.A.U. of C. at Hamilton in August.

At the A.A.U. of C. gathering, Alexander Courtney, of New Westminster, was appointed as the British Columbia representative on the Canadian Olympic committee for the 1932 games, and the British Columbia branch will name its executive to work with him. The following names will be submitted to Mr. Courtney for his approval: Dr. J. O. Davidson, Bert Davison, Chief W. J. Bingham, Dan McKenzie, R. C. Macdonald, Andrew B. Turner, Dr. J. S. Bricker and W. S. McGuire, of the Victoria Y.M.C.A.

Players rolling Monday night follow: J. Skellern, L. Fox, W. Youhill, W. Norris, W. Clayton, J. Laughlin and C. Williams.

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**Rose City Sending Formidable Squad To Oppose Locals**

Multnomah Club Cagers Who Will Appear Here on January 7 Is Strongest in Five Years —Personnel of Team Is Announced

The Multnomah Club basketball team, which will appear in five games in a like number of nights against teams on various parts of the Island, playing in Victoria on January 7, is the strongest squad turned out at the institution for the past five years, according to the Rose City record.

Ray Brooks, who has tutored the Checkersboards, crack independent team in amateur basketball in Portland for the past three years, has the best material in the city from which to mold a team. There is a generous sprinkling of ex-college stars to strengthen the quintette, which is mostly made up of youngsters.

These collegians and ex-high school players have been coached by Brooks for the past three months and have absorbed much of his fast-breaking style of play, in which emphasis is placed on speed. Brooks also teaches a man-to-man defense and four-man offensive formation, with all but one guard in the plays down the floor. The Checkersboards use the huddle in giving the signal, a method developed by Brooks that is baffling to the opposition teams.

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**GUNTHER ON TEAM**

Jerry Gunther, ex-University of Oregon forward, and named on the all-Northwest college team while in college, handles one forward position. He is a tall, thin player having played four years of basketball in college. He is a crack shot and an outstanding defensive man. Ray Graap, ex-Oregon State College forward, will be in the other forward position. He was outstanding while in college, winning the forward position of the all-Northwest college team while in college.

Ray Edwards, ex-University of Oregon guard, is the third collegian on the team. Edwards is more than six feet one inch tall and weighs close to 180 pounds. He is an experienced guard. Graap's main forte is shooting and passing. He has been the high scorer of the team so far.

Three members of Brooks' Checkersboards team of last year will probably make the trip. These are Ray Smith, guard; Francis Highby, forward, and Harold Dixon, guard. They are all small and flashy performers.

The rest of the squad will be made up of Old Timers, high schoolers forard in the Portland Interscholastic League for two years, and Dale Cherry, veteran Multnomah Club player, who was named on the national all-star interscholastic team several years ago while attending Walla Walla High School.

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## Store Open This Evening Until 10 o'Clock

Only three days left for Christmas shoppers. To make the most of that time and the most of your money shop at the "Store of a Million Gifts." Here even the most difficult gift problems may be quickly and easily solved. Our displays embrace everything that's worth while giving from the least expensive articles to those of a more pretentious kind and our values are unsurpassed.

### A New Hat for Christmas

Model Hats, Values to \$16.50  
Marked Down to \$7.50  
Choose a smart hat to wear on Christmas Day. There are many styles—crepe, satin, cloche or bow styles. Colours solid, velvets with fur felts and all the smartest of the season and in every wanted color. Price ..... \$7.50

### Fashionable Felts at \$3.95

If you wish a smart hat at a small price, you may choose the newest in felt, felts with metallic or all-metallic hats all ..... \$3.95

The Children Like New Hats, Too! Children's Hats priced at ..... \$5.00 and ..... \$1.25, \$1.50 and ..... \$2.50

—Second Floor, H B C



### An Interesting New Flower for Her Coat

would be a tactful and fascinating gift on Christmas Day. Present the flower or the cluster—for a gift box and see how pleased she will be! There is a delightful array from which to choose. Prices 35c, 50c, 75c and ..... \$1.00

—Main Floor, H B C

### Gifts—Pleasing and Practical From the Staple Section

Linen Crash Luncheon Sets Cloth, 54 x 54 inches, and Napkins in soft pastel colorings of blue, green and gold, with borders in contrasting colorings. Price per set ..... \$2.50

Novelty Towel Sets Towel, 24 x 45 inches, and two Face Cloths in pink and jaquard weaves in all wanted color combinations. Neatly boxed. Price, set ..... \$1.50

Hand-Embroidered Pillow Cases Daintily embroidered in many colorful patterns. Always popular among gift recipients. Price, per pair ..... \$1.50

Embroidered Linen Bridge Sets Cloth, 36 x 36 inches, and four Napkins, made from a fine oyster linen and daintily embroidered in color effects. Price, per set ..... \$1.98

Linen Damask Sets In white with colored borders and in pastel colorings of green, gold, rose and blue. Size 54 x 69 inches. Price, per set ..... \$3.95

Novelty Turkish Towels In self-colored effects of rose, blue and mauve. The size is notable—25 x 45 inches. Neatly boxed for Christmas giving. Price, each ..... \$3.50

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### Gifts in Drug Section

Shaving Bowls—Dalecore, Yardley's, Gibbs' and Williams' at, each ..... \$1.00

Williams', Colgate's and Mennen's Shaving Sets ..... \$1.25

Yardley's Shaving Sets ..... \$4.50 to ..... \$5.00

Yardley's Gift Toiletries in gift sets ..... \$5.00 to \$10.00

Yardley's Bath Salts, triple ..... \$6.00 Yardley's Bath Crystals ..... \$1.00 Hindustan's Bath Crystals ..... \$1.15 Hindubgan's Bath Crystals ..... \$1.15 Pearlstone Toilet Sets in attractive gift boxes ..... \$23.50 to \$45.00 Powder Bowls in pastel shades at 50¢ to ..... \$2.00 Perfume Atomizers ..... \$1.50 to \$7.50 Perfumes in original gift bottles—Hindustan's, Coty's, Ashes of Roses, Hindubgan's and Chanel's, priced from ..... \$1.00 to \$7.50

—Main Floor, H B C

## A New Shipment of Rayon Silk Underwear 1.98

500 Dainty Gift Garments Specially Priced for Saturday

Arrived just in time for late gift buyers, this new shipment represents one of the best Underwear values offered this season. The assortment includes:

- Three styles in Rayon Vest and Bloomer Sets
- Eight styles in Dainty Lace and Motif Trimmed Nightgowns
- Two styles in Rayon Silk Pyjamas
- Rayon Silk Lace-Trimmed Dance Sets
- Six styles in Pongee Silk Nightgowns

Each set or garment will be packed in an attractive gift box. Please remember, only 500 pieces in all. Shop early. A really wonderful value for Saturday ..... 1.98

—Second Floor, H B C



## Hosiery Is a Pleasing as Well as a Practical Gift

To receive Silk Hosiery is to receive a compliment as well as an extremely useful present.

Try giving silk hosiery this year and see how you will be complimented on your choice.

"Orient" Silk Hose With the Point Heel Full-Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose. Excellent fitting and in the season's favorite shades. Sizes 8½ to 10. In gift box. Per pair ..... \$1.50

Full-Fashioned Service-Weight Silk Hose Canada's leading makes in Pure Thread Silk Hose, famed for their nicely fit and beautiful appearance. There is a wide choice of Fashion's leading shades in sizes 8½ to 10½. In gift box. Per pair ..... \$1.95

Full-Fashioned Chiffon Hose Ultra Smart Pure Thread Silk Chiffon Hose. Superb fitting, for day or evening wear. In good selections of smart colors and in all sizes. In gift box. Fair ..... \$2.95

—Main Floor, H B C

### Fashion's Latest Modes in Over-Shoes

are attractive as well as practical, and a pair will assure the wearer warm and dry feet throughout the Winter. Shown in cloth or in all-rubber, with strap, dome or slide fastening. Colors are brown, grey, blue, buff, gold and heather. All sizes 3½ to 8. Priced at, per pair ..... \$1.95

to ..... \$3.45

—Main Floor, H B C

### Ornamental Mirrors

As Gifts for the Home

Wall Mirrors in attractive plate. Suitable for almost any room. Size 12 x 24 inches, in well made polychrome frames. Price, each ..... \$6.75

Full Length Mirrors Suitable for hall or bedroom, giving full view. Heavy plate glass, 16 inches wide x 60 inches long, in 2½-inch polychrome frame. A gift that a woman would certainly appreciate. Price ..... \$23.50

—Fourth Floor, H B C



## Visit Our Gift Bazaar

For Dainty, Useful, Inexpensive Presents

Three Prices Only

50c 75c 1.00

If you have any doubts about what to give, you've only to visit our Gift Bazaar and your problems will be quickly solved. There's such a variety of useful gifts here—for father, mother, brother, sister—and all conveniently arranged in these popular price groups. A few suggestions follow:

Boxed Hosiery  
Boxed Handkerchiefs  
Bridge Novelties  
Handbags  
Chinaware  
Necklets  
Sewing Novelties  
Framed Pictures  
Silverware  
Rubber Aprons

Ash Tray Sets  
Garter Sets  
Men's Hose  
Men's Ties  
Men's Gloves  
Boxed Tobacco  
Pipes  
Boxed Golf Balls  
Spun Silk Scarves  
Toiletries

Children's Bedroom Shoes  
Children's Party Shoes  
Children's Games  
Children's Annals  
Children's Reading Books  
Feather Dusters  
Boys' Bow Ties  
And Hundreds of Imported Novelties.

—Second Floor, H B C

### Special Turkey Dinner

This Evening, 6:30 to 8:15

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MENU

Celery and Olives

Clear Soup

Boiled Salmon—Hollandaise

Sauce

Roast Turkey—Cranberry

Sauce

Roast Suckling Pig—Apple

Sauce

Mashed Potatoes—Green Beans

Hot Mince Pie—Peach Melba

Stilton Cheese

Coffee

—Victorian Restaurant,

—Fourth Floor, H B C

## Gift Gloves

Correct Styles Dependable Qualities Reasonable Prices

Now Deer Gloves at \$3.95 a Pair

Finest British manufacture in smart pull-on style with gusset wrist, pique-sewn seams and self stitched points. These will give good satisfaction in wear and will fit perfectly. They are ideal for motoring. Sizes 6 to 7½. Colors are beaver and grey. Price, per pair ..... \$3.95

Suede Mocha Gloves at \$2.50 a Pair

A Cosy Fleece-Lined Suede Mocha Glove with one done fastening. This glove is unequalled for wear and always looks good on the hand. In brown or grey. Sizes 6 to 7½. Price, per pair ..... \$2.50

French Imported Kid Gloves

Made from specially selected skins, these fine-fitting gloves are particularly smart and practical for Christmas gifts. In shades of beaver, brown, grey and mastic; also black and white. All sizes, 5½ to 8. Price, per pair ..... \$2.50

Wool Jerseys for the Little Boy

In saxe, white, sand, red and green. With polo collar. Sizes for 6 to 14 years. Price ..... \$1.50

Cosy Eiderdown Kimonos

in various patterns; all charming. Sizes for 2 to 6 years ..... \$1.75

Sizes for 6 to 14 years ..... \$2.75

Girls' Pleated and Butterfly Skirts

in flannel with novelty border trimmings. Sizes for 6 to 14 years. Price ..... \$2.95

Misses' Imported Wool Pull-Overs

with V neck or pointed collar. In solid colors or with smart border trimming. Sizes for 6 to 15 years. Price ..... \$1.95 and \$3.05

Girls' All-Wool Jersey Frisks

with kiltd skirt and bloomers to match. In sand, powder, green and red. Sizes for 6 to 10 years. Priced at ..... \$3.95

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The Bouton Cape Skin Gloves

Up to the minute in style and a gift worth while. They fit and wear to perfection. Shown in two popular styles—one a smart, pull-on with hand-sewn seams, and the other a gauntlet glove with elastic at the wrist and pique-sewn seams. All wanted sizes. Shown in grey and nude shades. Price, pair ..... \$3.75

—Main Floor, H B C

New Gift Neckwear

Daintily Boxed

The neckwear featured this season is so distinctive and appealing—and there is such an infinite variety that it seems specially destined for delightful giving and receiving. See our showing of Vestees, Berthas and Cascade Vestees fashioned from fine Valentines, guipure and net laces. Prices, from \$1.95 to ..... \$3.95

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Hand-Blocked Crepe de Chine Scarves

Made from extra heavy quality crepe de Chine and featuring some distinctive futuristic designs in clever color combinations. These are the popular long style scarves which are in such favor for gifts. In gift boxes. Price, ..... \$5.50

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New Georgette Evening Scarves

Distinctive and charming! The extra width and length happily display the fascinating colors and delightful designs. Price, \$12.95

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200 Rayon Gift Nightgowns

Nine O'Clock Special Saturday Morning 98c

Georgette and Crepe de Chine Scarves in plain and stenciled designs. Wide choice of dainty pastel shades. Each scarf in a gift box.

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Hand-Embroidered Bridge Sets

Nine O'Clock Special Saturday Morning 1.39

Cloth, 36 x 36 inches, and four Napkins. Made from a fine ecru colored fabric and neatly hand embroidered in colorful patterns.

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Fancy China Salad Bowls

Regular 35c, Saturday, 9 A.M. 29c

Fancy China Salad Bowls in pretty fruit, floral and scenic effects, and in two-tone lustre colorings. Size 8 inches.

—Third Floor, H B C

Optical Dept., Mezzanine Floor, H B C

The Weatherman Barometer, \$2.85

On Saturday a limited number of these high-grade Barometers will be offered in the Optical Department. Mahogany finish, with brass fittings and enamelled dial. It makes a worthwhile and appreciated Christmas gift.

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Rayon lace-trimmed or motif-trimmed Nightgowns in four different styles. Shown in peach, Nile, sunburst, orchid, pink and white, and in small, medium and large sizes.

—Second Floor, H B C

100 Women's Gift Kimonos

## At The Playhouses

**COLISEUM THEATRE** There will be three performances today at the Coliseum Theatre of that popular play "So This Is Alaska," which has been pleasing large audiences since Monday night, when the play had its premiere in Victoria. The players will take the stage once this afternoon, again at 8 o'clock, and twice tonight, once at 7 o'clock and again at 9 o'clock. Saturday is usually a record day at the Coliseum, and large crowds of people are expected to be present this evening.

**DOMINION THEATRE** "When the cat's away, the mice will play" is the theme of "Why Leave Home," the popular comedy which is playing at the Dominion Theatre last times today. Its flood of hilarious situations is caused by the efforts of three indignant wives to teach their husbands a lesson when the latter "step out." College boy and girl, and the various complications, with side-splitting results, and a number of snappy song hits add to the film's entertainment qualities.



## Old English Yuletide Festival

OFFICIAL OPENING ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 23  
By His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, President of the Board of Trade, in the Ballroom of the Empress Hotel, Followed by a Concert of Christmas Music.

Exquisite Carols of Old England and of Old French Canada and France, Together with Christmas Music by Modern Composers, Sung by the Elisabethan Quartette

Old English Morris and Country Dances. Interpreted by

THE B.C. MORRIS DANCERS

Fifteen expert performers of the lovely old figure dances, inspired by the English Folk Dance Society, and now the favorite recreation of 200,000 adults of all classes in the Old Country. These dancers have been trained and are directed by Mrs. L. A. Farrell, an actress, who will demonstrate the following:

Tideswell Provincial Country Dancers, Buntington Peasants—Black Nags o'Marlow—Bacon Pipers

"CHRISTMAS WITH HERICK"

Romantic Ballet Opera, Incorporating entrancing airs, folk songs and carols associated with Devonshire's exquisite lyric poet of the Seventeenth Century, and introducing a band of wasailers with old Devonshire dances. Produced by Alfred Heather, former Organist of Exeter Cathedral.

This Concert to Be Followed by Other Concerts on

THURSDAY (With Dickens' Play)

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Concerts Organized by the Department of Music, Canadian Pacific Railway

Prices, Reserved Seats, \$1.10, including tax; Unreserved, 50c, including Subsidy for Four Concerts with choice of nights; Reserved Seats, 80c, tax included

Concerts Will Commence at 8:30 P.M. Sharp

Local Secretary: L. Bullock-Webster Phone 630 and 4301

### OTHER ATTRACTIONS AT THE FESTIVAL—

There will be Concerts of Sacred Music in the Empress Hotel on Sunday Evenings, December 22 and 29—Entrance free.

The Concert on Christmas Eve will be followed by Carol Singing on the steps of Parliament Buildings.

Christmas Day will have its pageantry, including the bringing in of the Yule Log and the Boar's Head Ceremonies, carried out according to Elizabethan tradition—Jester played by Alfred Heather.

Reservations for the Christmas Dinner should be made at once to the Manager, Empress Hotel.

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## AMUSEMENTS

### ON THE SCREEN

Captain—"Her Private Life," starring Billie Dove.

Columbia — Polly Moran in "Honeymoon."

Dominion — "Why Leave Home," featuring Sue Carol.

### ON THE STAGE

Coliseum — Harry C. Willis and his company offer "A Pair of Lunatics."

Crystal Garden—Dancing and Swimming.

**PLAYHOUSE THEATRE** The large audience last night at the Playhouse to show its appreciation of the acts and sketches presented, and laughing much more than it did in previous George Bryden in songs, dances and monologue, has never been seen to better advantage, and particularly in his rendition of "Chloe," which is a real gem as handled by him.

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# FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

**Violent Downgrade Moves  
At N.Y. Send Prices Into  
Still Further Depression**

**NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The bear crowd indulged in its first Christmas party in years on the stock market today, a ceremony in the stock market contrast to the bull orgy of last Yuletide.**

Total sales of 5,532,600 shares were rolled up, the largest turnover since the restoration of normal five-hour trading. Stock prices generally were beaten down to 10 points, a few breaking through the bottom level reached on November 13, and dozens of leading shares dropping below the resistance points on December 19.

Very short covering in the final dealing carried leading shares up 1 to 5 points from the day's minimum levels.

The bear movement, which took on an ominous aspect late yesterday, gathered strength in today's session, coming to a climax in the last hour. The market reached violent proportions in the late trading, more than one-third of the day's turnover changing hands after 2 o'clock. The ticker ran for an hour after the close.

Cash money again renewed at 41-2 per cent, but touched 5 last in the day for the first time since November 21.

United States Steel dropped near-

ly 10 points to 155, only 8 points above the November low, and closed at 162. General Electric dropped 10 points and rallied 5. Other market exchanges held steady, with strength in the French franc a notable feature.

Prices eased in a dull bond market today. Heavy demands for currency and the shipment of \$12,500,000 in gold to France brought firmer money rates.

For the first time in a week the first-grade rails failed to get support and sold off in minor fractions. United States Governments were firm.

Branson, Brown & Co. Ltd. All Fractions in Eighteen

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## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

**NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Foreign exchange rates:**  
France—3 1/2 to 3 1/2; cables 3 9/4 to 16.  
Italy—3 2/3 to 4; cables 3 2/3 to 4.  
Belgium—13 3/4 to 14.  
Greece—13 to 14.  
Holland—40-29.  
Norway—26-81.  
Denmark—26-82.  
Switzerland—19-45.  
Russia—13-14.  
Greece—13-14.  
Poland—11-20.  
Czechoslovakia—2 8/8%  
Jugoslavia—17 1/2.  
Austria—14-15.  
Hungary—17 1/2.  
Arenaria—60.  
Argentina—10 3/4 to 37/8.  
Brazil—10-07.  
Peru—40-42.  
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## STERLING EXCHANGE

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1 BIRTHS

GALBRAITH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on December 20, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Galbraith, Mt. Tolmie P.O. on 2nd.

DODWORTH—On December 20, to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dodworth, 2338 Whistler Avenue, a daughter.

LE HUQUET—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, December 20, to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Le Huquet, 1874 Forster Street, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

PLIMLEY—On the 16th inst., there passed away at the family residence, 106 Douglas Street, Mrs. Plimley, aged 87 years.

Leaves to mourn his passing two sons and one daughter, Rev. Bruce G. Otar, Dr. Wilson, and Mrs. Plimley, Ltd.; Percy Plimley, superintendent of the company, and Mrs. Richard Kliman, widow of one of the city's Allen Plimley, his mother, in the Old Country, and one brother, Evan Plimley, in South Africa, also a son, John, in Victoria, and a daughter, N.Y. The late Mr. Plimley was a native of Birmingham, England, and a resident of Victoria for many years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1008 Douglas Street, and at John's Church, where services will be held at 2 o'clock. Rev. Canon H. P. Chedwick officiated.

Burial will be made in the cemetery of the Britannia Lodge, No. 73.

A Memorial service will take place in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

McLELLAN—There passed away at Kamloops, B.C., Thursday, December 19, Mrs. Mclellan, aged 77 years. The late Mrs. Mclellan was born at Whitemore, Ontario, thirty-seven years ago. She had been a resident of Kamloops for twenty years prior to her departure for Kamloops a short time ago. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Mclellan, a son, Mr. K. K. Mclellan, a daughter, Mrs. H. Wilson, and a sister, Mrs. H. Wilson, and a brother and a sister in Manitoba, one brother in Penticton, and a brother in Revelstoke.

Funeral service will be held this afternoon, December 31, at 2 o'clock, from the Thompson Funeral Home, 1008 Douglas Street, corner Quidra and Broadstone Streets. Rev. Dr. W. S. Sippl will officiate, assisted by Rev. Canon H. P. Chedwick.

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### KILLED HUNTING

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Harold Lowther, sixty-three, brother of Lord Ullswater and a kinsman of the Lonsdale family, was thrown from his horse and killed while hunting day in Bicester.

He served during the Matabele War in 1896 and was decorated. He was fond of sports and was hunt-

ing with the famous Bicester hounds when he was thrown. His brother, Ullswater, was formerly Speaker of the House of Commons.

### ONLY INSTALMENT

LONDON, Dec. 20.—Speaking at Harlesden last night, Mr. A. J. Cook, secretary of the British Miners' Federation, said the federation re-

Sheriff Robertson at Linlithgow—"A fight between two Irishmen is not evidence that they are bad friends."

garded the coal miners bill as an instalment. It could be amended, but opinion against the forcing of the miners into economic conflict, either by a strike or a lockout, which would have catastrophic consequences.

### CLOVERDALE

The annual Christmas concert, given by the pupils of Cloverdale School, was held in the Lake Hill Community Hall on Thursday and Friday evenings. The hall was crowded with parents and friends of the children, who showed by the frequent applause of applause how much they enjoyed the entertainment. The chairman of the Saanich School Board, Mr. F. C. Hobbs, presided. Principal P. C. Routley conducted the singing of the senior choir and Mr. Cullen that of the senior girls. Mrs. Ruby Moore and Miss Murton accompanied the junior choir. Those who had charge of the different grades were: Misses Beane, McKler, Munton, Bosal and Revercomb. The careful memorizing and talent displayed by the scholars showed how efficient the work of the teachers had been, while the costumes worn by the boys and girls in their different decorations and dances greatly pleased the onlookers. Special mention is made of the club swinging of Mr. S. Frost, because of its peculiar effect. The hall was all in darkness and the club brilliantly performed with colored light, with Mr. Frost swinging them quickly as he sang. The singing of the dainty little girls in the junior choir and the older pupils in the senior choir greatly charmed the audience. The complete programme follows: Songs: "O Who Will O'er the Downs So Free" and "The Fairy Tears" Junior choir; play: "The Three Bears," Grade I; "Gumby" Grade II; part song, Irish peasant song, "Tis Pretty to Be in Bullderry," senior choir; recitation, "A Present From Aunt Jane," Margaret Lowe; Danish greeting dance, Grade VII; health play, Grade IV; part songs, "Where the Bee Sucks" and "Scenes That Are Brightest." Musical intermission by Doreen Mills and Patricia Clarke; club swinging, Mr. S. Frost; part song, "The Gay Owl," senior choir; Indian war dance, Grade III; soldiers' song, Grade I; monologue, "Crooked Answers"; Grade V; songs and dance, "When Honey Rings an Old-Time Song," Grade VI; Christmas carol, "Sister, Sister." The songs of some senior choir; pageant by senior scholars in costume. The hall was beautifully decorated with colored lights and holly.

### TILLCUM SCHOOL

An interesting and varied programme marked the Christmas closing exercises of Tillicum School, in the schoolroom on Thursday. Songs, dances and recitations by the scholars of the different grades reflected great credit upon the teachers, and while all did their parts well, special mention might be made of the recitation by Doreen Burgess and the Dutch dance in which the boys and girls of Grade VI. The negro songs were accompanied by Dennis Kent, mandolin, and David Smith violin.

## Christmas Entertainments Occupy Attention of Many Schools Before Holidays

Christmas entertainments have been in progress in a number of schools during the past two days, and among them are the following:

### QUADRA SCHOOL

The teachers and pupils of Quadra School gave their annual Christmas concert on Wednesday and Thursday nights in the school auditorium, before appreciative audiences.

The junior school entertained the people for half an hour with four varied numbers. The babies gave an original adaptation of the "Shoemakers;" the boys singing an action song, seated with their shoes held in the characteristic attitude of the East, while the girls gave a simple rendering of "The Shoemakers' Dance." An Indian dance was given by the pupils of the next grade. The girls, seated on the floor in the centre, excited much comment by their papoose-cradles and blankets, while the boys demonstrated this symbolic dance. The pupils of grades three and four formed a masked line and sang numerous "Soldier Will You Marry Me," two small children taking solo parts, to the amusement of the crowd. Sixteen pupils of the next division gave a short flag drill, which was heartily applauded.

After a short interval the curtain fell back to show the first scene of the main feature, the operetta "Princess Chrysanthemum" in three acts, presented by the senior pupils. A gasp of pleasure greeted the spectacular representation of a Japanese Emperor's palace garden on a fete day, which celebrated the coming of age of the Princess Chrysanthemum. The populace sang a chorus of welcome to the Princess (Christine Schell) who made a charming figure in a dress, appealing Japanese young maiden. The state entrance of the Emperor, What-for-Whi (Evelyn England), was impressive, and she maintained the pose of a pompous, autocratic monarch during the entire performance, singing and acting with distinction. Gordon Robins, acting the part of the villain, So-Tru, excelled in portraying the scheming lover, and showed great stage presence. The Magic Cat (Nicholas Renard), aided the villain, and kept the public entertained with his humorous songs and acting. Ruth Shepherd, the hero lover, So-Tru, was dignified and showed exceeding promise along dramatic lines. Her acting and singing alone won the stage, in the Cave of Iky Nishi, was enthusiastically applauded. Frances Farquhar, as Fairy Moonbeam, won the hearts of her audience with her daintiness and appealing smile. The solo of Tu-Lip, maid-of-honor, well taken by Emily Miles, was a delightful and restful lullaby, sung in a clear sweet voice. Fairy Sprite and the Little King, also, were a joy to the eye by their dainty execution, especially as the unusual lighting effects changed the atmosphere of the stage, fiery red marking the entrance of the sprites, a moonlight blue that of the fairies, a Japanese lantern glow for the populace, while a blaze of dazzling light marked the entrance of the Emperor.

The performances received a wholehearted support, the auditorium being filled both evenings, since the school has earned a reputation for its operettas. Representatives of the school board present were Messrs. George Jay, Hebbet and McMillan. Mrs. Jay, Mr. Peden and Mr. and Mrs. Waddington were also among those present.

### SAANICHTON

The closing exercises of the Saanichton School were held on Wednesday evening, with a large number of parents, former pupils and friends present. An enjoyable programme was given by the pupils and the teachers, Misses McNab and Atyan, deserve great credit for their capable management. Captain N. Gray made an efficient chairman, and Mr. Ed Oskes took the part of Santa Claus, arriving at the close of the programme and distributing gifts among the children. Souvenir programmes, the work of the pupils, were also dispersed. The entertainment was as follows: Chorus: "O Canada" and "Silent Night, Holy Night" by the School; Swedish dance, "Kull-Dansen," drills by boys and girls; recitation, Phyllis Jones; Swedish Ring dance, Shoemakers (Danish), Effie Hughes and Patay Gray; recitation, Stanley Oakes; play, "The Real Christmas Spirit" by the School.

### EAST SOOKE

The school gave its annual "break up" party on Thursday evening, when there was a good gathering of parents and friends to see the programme arranged for their entertainment.

Mrs. Mugford and her pupils must have worked hard to put on such a show and deserve all the praise given.

Several of the items on the long programme showed real talent, and it was quite evident that the children were all thoroughly enjoying their labors. The chief part of the evening was the arrival of Santa Claus with a well-filled sack of presents. He had been unusually popular, and each child was called to him four times. A gaily-decorated Christmas tree added to the appearance of the prettily decorated school.

Many hearty thanks were extended to Mr. Donaldson for taking the part of Santa, to Mrs. Mugford and her pupils; also, to Mrs. Frank Ferguson and Mrs. H. Thoronet for buying the presents. Thirty-five groups, besides a lot of extra kiddies enjoyed themselves. The party broke up at 11:15 o'clock.

### SOOKE SUPERIOR SCHOOL

The annual tree and entertainment of Sooke Superior School was held in Charter's Hall on Thursday. An original and humorous Yuletide programme, given by the pupils, bore evidence of perseverance in preparation, under the supervision of Misses W. McRobinson and L. Gordon and I. Little, teacher, and was greatly enjoyed by over 200 adults and children, who filled the hall to its capacity. Mr. Edward Milne acting as chairman. The opening number was as follows: Welcome song, school; "Auchella Sue," D. Brownsey; flag drill, boys of Division III; "Mrs. Brown's Christmas Present," C. Dilley and Helen Welsh; "Good Queen Bess," recitation; "A Night Before Christmas," Marion Anderson; fan drill, girls of Division III; humorous sketch,

Master Felix, of Grade VI, made a very efficient chairman. The following is the programme of Grades V, VI, VII and VIII:

"Jingle Bells," Grades V and VI; recitation, "Greedy Christopher," Doreen Burns; piano solo, Celia Clegg; chorus, "Catch the Sunshine," Grades V and VI; piano solo, Joan Boult; boys' drill, Grade VI; carol, "Silent Night," Grade V; piano solo, Mary Fyvie; chorus, Grades VII and VIII; recitation, "The Brat," Elsie Foster; piano solo, Kelso; drama, sword dance, Peter Johnston; chorus, Grades VII and VIII; piano solo, Alberta Aitken; violin duet, "Rando," Fusa Yoyama and David Smith; negro song, Grade V; recitation, Edith Mead; piano solo, May Jamieson; song, "Aloha Oe," Helen Appley; "The First Noel," Grades V and VI; piano solo, Helen Appley; "The Witch Dance," Grade VI.

Grades III and IV combined also and gave their closing entertainment in the schoolroom, under their teachers, Mrs. Morton, Grade III and Miss Huddlestonne, Grade IV.

The pupils of the two primary grades of Tillicum School held their Christmas concert on Thursday evening. The programme was very efficiently carried out: Song, "Tinkle Tinkle," Grades I and II; play, "Teen's Dream," Grade II; recitation, "Christmas," Charlie Williamson; song, "Jack Frost," Grade Gilmore; recitation, "Tell Me What You Give for Me," Grades I and II; recitation, "Santa Claus," Doreen Carter; "Bed in Summer," Gordon Perkins; song, "Santa's Ride," Doris Smith; dance, Russian dance, Faith Atkinson; son; recitation, "When Mother Was a Girl," Bethy Jones; singing, Chorus, Grades I and II; recitation, Myrtle Tupper; recitation, "The Christmas Card," Douglas Hawkins; "Listen," Stanley Mermod; "I Have a Clock," Sonia Cunningham; song, "Dancing Round the Christmas Tree," Grade L.

### WEST SAANICH SCHOOL

The annual Christmas concert, given by the teachers and pupils of the West Saanich School was held in the Inverness Hotel on Thursday evening. A large number of relatives and friends were present and greatly enjoyed the splendid entertainment. The children, whose voices have been trained by Mr. Ozard, sang sweetly. Both the teachers, Miss Wilkerson and Mr. Ozard, are to be congratulated for the result of their method of training.

In the afternoon the programme was rehearsed for the benefit of the younger children, and a bounteous supper was served at 5 o'clock, followed by the Christmas tree, when each child received a gift.

Mr. T. Walker made a capable chairman for the evening's entertainment. The programme followed: "Holy Night" and "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes," Choir; recitation, Lorna Thomson, Edward Creed and Jimmy Watt; play, "Morning in Court Longre, 1670," recitation, Jimmy Watt; "Cradle Song" and "Shepherdess," Chorus; recitation, Gordon and Betty Bourne; "Cradle Song," doyes, Andrew and Barbara; Mr. Ozard and three pupils; "Radioloid," "Passing By," "Sweet and Low" and "Gone Home," Choir; "God Save the King."

### HOTELKEEPER AND TRAVELER

H. Helgesen, Ralph Ponteus; "Five Little Chickadees," Division III; "A Christmas Lesson," ten children.

Division I, "Makin' Merry,"

Macie Richardson, "Christians Customs in Other Lands," Division II;

handkerchief drill, eight boys of Division II; a dance, Hilda George;

recitation, Joyce Greenwood, A. Cogswell;

"Sing a Song of Christmas," boys of Division II; "The Questioner," Joyce Greenwood, A. Cogswell;

"Taking Baby's Picture," Division I; carol, Divisions I and II; God Save the King; Misses Violet Helgesen and R. Lorden acted as accompanists.

### PAIN AROUND HEART

The advent of Santa Claus with his usual cheer, presenting a gift to each of the one hundred and ten children from the districts of Sooke and Saanicoos brought a happy evening to a close.

### QUALICUM BEACH

The breaking up concert of the Qualicum Beach Public School was held on Thursday afternoon. There were twenty-two items on the programme, all of which were rendered in faultless and loudly applauded. The individual performers were: Misses E. Bryer, Ethel Bell, Phyllis Belyea, Eric Gillian, Doreen Gillesen, Violet Norris, Pat Sanders, M. Robertson and B. Daigle, and Masters Jan Dobbins, Henry Maut, Arthur Charlton, Harry Clarke, Francis Thrall, D. Sawyer and E. Sawyer. Mr. C. G. Goding, as senior trustee, occupied the chair. Miss A. Saunders conducted the carols and choruses.

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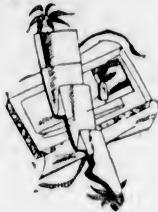
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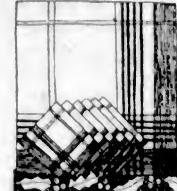
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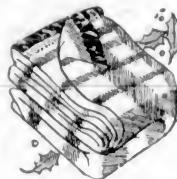
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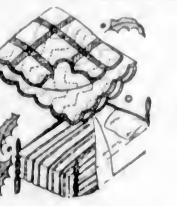


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